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Portland, November 5 1864 dtf

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[illegible]—Tracy & King; John McCraken; A. D. Matthew Keith. m23dtf

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PORTLAND. dtf

E. HAMILTON,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR-AT-LAW,
[illegible] Front street, East side, [illegible] of Alder,

[illegible] in the Courts of Oregon and Washington and United States District Court for Oregon [illegible] residence at San Francisco and East of the [illegible] gives me facilities for COLLECTIONS, which [illegible] prompt attention. [illegible] NEGOTIATE LOANS secured on unincumbered [illegible] titles. Persons purchasing Real Estate [illegible] to their advantage to consult me before closing, [illegible] have an Abstract of Titles to Real Estate, Mortgages [illegible] kept up with County Records. [illegible] prepared and instructions given for persons taking under the Pre-emption and late Homestead [illegible] no12dawtf

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THOS. HARRIS.
[illegible] Feb. 17th, 1865. feb18dtf

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LADD & TILTON,
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Dec 29 1864 d6m

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OF SAN FRANCISCO,
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Portland, November, 16, 1865. dtf

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At 519 Montgomery St., San Francisco.
BERNARD GATTEL, General Agent.
Capital - - $540,000

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Paid up in Full,
IN 12,500 SHARES OF $100 EACH,
WITH POWER TO INCREASE.
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EDWIN RUSSELL, Manager.
Portland July 10, 1865 49tf

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ON HAND AND CONSTANTLY RECEIVING FROM the best—
Cooking Ranges,
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Copper, Tin and Planished Bath Tubs;
Square and angular Black Walnut Counter-Sunk
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Cold, and Hot and Cold WATER SHOWERS,
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HYDRAULIC RAMS,
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WATER CLOSETS, &c. &c.

Persons wishing to introduce Cold, or Hot and Cold Water into their premises, either Plain or Ornamental would do well to give me a call.
Portland, April 30 1865. C. H. MYERS.

ENGINEERS AND OTHERS,
Take Notice.

JUST RECEIVED, A SMALL LOT OF THE CELEBRATED SCOTCH TUBES for Water Guages.

Also the Largest Stock ever offered before in this city of all sizes WROUGHT IRON PIPES from ¼ to 4 inch inside diameter; BRASS COCKS, T'S, ELBOWS, RETURN BENDS, NIPPLES, BUSHINGS, &c.

Constantly on hand STEAM WHISTLES, STEAM GUAGES, WATER GUAGES, GOVERNOR and STOP VALVES, THROTTLE, ANGLE and CHECK VALVES, GUAGE COCKS, AIR COCKS, and all kinds of
BRASS WORK,
FOR STEAM, WATER, AND GAS.

Persons wishing any [illegible] the above line, will do well to examine and prices [illegible] before sending to San Francisco.
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Plumbing, Gas and Steam Fitting Establishment,
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R. PITTOCK,
NO. 9 NORTH FRONT STREET,
Opposite Lower Steamship Landing
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Wholesale and Retail manufacturer of
BREAD,
Butter, Water, Sugar, Boston and Soda
CRACKERS,
PILOT BREAD, PIES, CAKES, &c., &c.
and all kinds of
STEAMBOAT AND SHIP STORES,
Family Groceries,
FEED, FRUITS, VEGETABLES, &c., &c.

Bread and Stores delivered to any part of the City. Orders from a distance carefully filled and promptly dispatched.
The business hereafter will be conducted STRICTLY ON THE CASH PRINCIPLE.

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE CONSTANTLY ON HAND—
MALT, HOPS, IRISH MOSS,
BARLEY, SHOVELS, BARREL BRUSHES,
BRASS AND WOOD FAUCETS,
And all other articles for Brewer's use. Also any quantity of
WEINHARD'S LAGER BEER!
So Well and Favorably Known. All of which we are prepared to furnish at PRICES THAT DEFY COMPETITION.
Orders will be Promptly Filled.
WEINHARD & DELLINGER,
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DIRECT FROM NEW YORK!

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Are now offering to the Public the BEST and CHEAPEST assortment of
CLOCKS, WATCHES, JEWELRY,
IVORY AND RUBBER SETTS,
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A Large and Well-selected Stock of
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And everything usually kept in our line of business.
AGENTS FOR THE AMERICAN WATCH COMPANY.
Particular attention paid to the REPAIRS OF FINE WATCHES and all kinds of JOB WORK, done on short notice by an experienced workman.
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ALL KINDS OF
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nov14 12m 1p

Dissolution of Copartnership

NOTICE is hereby given that the Copartnership heretofore existing under the name of H. W. BRAGG & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Bragg having sold his entire interest in the firm to his partners, the business will be conducted by them under the name and style of WATERHOUSE & LESTER, who are authorized to collect all debts due the late firm and will settle all demands against the same.
H. W. BRAGG,
C. WATERHOUSE,
J. W. LESTER.
October 30 1865.

DR. R. B. WILSON,
Office—No. 5 Stark Street,
(Up Stairs,)
Residence—North Fourth street,
Between B and C. dawtf

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Portland, March 10, 1864. dtf

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OFFICE Creek Building over Wells, Fargo & Co's.
ENTRANCE FROM STARK STREET.
CONTINUES TO TREAT EYE DISEASES OF EVERY NATURE.
May be found at his Consultation Rooms day and night unless absent on professional business.
Portland, Oct. 30, 1864. ly

PEOPLE'S TRANSPORTATION CO.'S
Notice.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE UNTIL FURTHER notice
THE STEAMER
SENATOR
Will leave Portland for Oregon City every morning at 7 o'clock, CARRYING THE U. S. MAILS.

The Steamer RIVAL will leave Oregon City daily (Sundays excepted) at 8 o'clock A. M. Returning, will leave Portland at 2 o'clock P. M.

The Steamer RELIANCE will leave Canemah every Monday and Thursday morning upon the arrival of the SENATOR at Canemah, for CORVALLIS and intermediate points.

The Steamer ENTERPRISE will leave every Tuesday morning for EUGENE CITY and intermediate points.

W. K. WITHERELL, Esq., will be in attendance on Capt. Cochran's Wharf (except Fridays) [illegible] for Upper Willamette.
A. A. McCULLY,
President P. T. Co.
Dec. 9th 1865.

Notice.
THE WILLAMETTE STEAM NAV. CO.'S STEAMER
ACTIVE,
CAPT. J. T. APPERSON, Master.
Will leave CANEMAH every TUESDAY and FRIDAY at 10 o'clock A. M. for SALEM, ALBANY and CORVALLIS.
D. W. BURNSIDE,
Portland, Dec. 9, 1865.—tf Prest W. S. N. Co.

Notice.
FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE until further notice,
THE STEAMER
UNION
Will leave CANEMAH every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY mornings upon the arrival of the Boat from Portland.
Returning every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, connecting with the Boats for Portland.
September 7th, 1865.—tf J. D. MILLER, Master.

ESTABLISHED 1851

LAWRENCE & HOUSEWORTH,
OPTICIANS,
Importers of Optical, Mathematical and Philosophical Instruments,
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PUBLISHERS OF PHOTOGRAPHS OF CALIFORNIA.
Nos. 317 and 319 Montgomery street, between California and Pine sts., San Francisco
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HAVE FOR SALE THE LARGEST STOCK ON THE Pacific Coast, consisting in part as follows:
120 dozen SPECTACLES in Gold, Silver, Steel and Plated frames;
305 dozen EYE GLASSES, in Gold, Silver, Steel, Horn, Shell and Rubber Frames;
150 dozen WIRE GAUZE GOGGLES,
300 dozen SPECTACLE GLASSES and BRAZILIAN PEBBLES;
250 dozen SPECTACLE and EYE GLASS CASES;
395 Opera and Marine Glasses;
75 Telescope and Spy Glasses;
225 dozen Magnifying Glasses;
50 dozen Pocket Compasses;
650 Hand Stereoscopes,
75 Revolving Stereoscopes,
1,500 dozen Stereoscopic Views;
Drawing Instruments in German Silver and Brass;
Boxwood and Ivory Scales;
Microscopes in every Style;
200 Magnetic Machines for Medical purposes;
Aneroid Barometers;
20,500 Card Photographs;
600 Album Pictures in all colors;
dozen Union Card Frames;
Joseph Rodgers & Sons CUTLERY;
100 dozen Table Knives;
200 dozen Pocket Knives;
150 dozen Razors;
50 dozen Razor Strops;
150 dozen Scissors, SCISSORS, in Cases;
100 dozen Gyroscopes (Tops);
100 dozen Thermometers;
25 dozen Hydrometers;
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Very Extensive and Well Selected Assortment of
GOLD & SILVER WATCHES,
from the most Celebrated Makers.
CLOCKS OF VARIOUS STYLES,
DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, AND SILVER WARE.
All of the latest and Most Desirable Fashions.
Particular attention given to CLEANING AND REPAIRING FINE WATCHES and satisfaction guaranteed. Watches and Jewelry of every description repaired at short notice.
October 18, 1865. JOHN B. MILLER.

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MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN
FAMILY CHARTRES COFFEE,
AND SPICES OF ALL KINDS,
No. 707 Sansome Street, corner of Gold,
Between Jackson and Pacific Streets,
SAN FRANCISCO.
FIRST PREMIUM AWARDED
BY THE MECHANICS' INSTITUTE
FOR BEST COFFEE AND SPICES.

The proprietor having introduced Steam Power in his Manufactory, is now enabled to supply the trade and the public in general. All articles from his establishment are guaranteed [illegible]. The public are respectfully invited to call and convince themselves.
Country orders promptly attended to. s26d3m1p

Isthmus Butter!
A VERY CHOICE LOT of J. C. and Hamon [illegible] Butter. These celebrated brands are the best that come to this market. For sale at
au29tf RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.

HIDES & WOOL.
WILL PAY the highest CASH PRICE for Hides and Wool at RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.
Portland, Nov. 14, 1865. daw2m

FURS! FURS!
THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR BEAVER, OTTER and MINK FURS, by
jul19dawtf RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.

Mining Tools,
A LARGE STOCK CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
For sale by H. W. CORBETT.

New Columbian,
Nos. 118, 120 and 122 Front st., corner of Morrison.
GOOD NEWS!

THE NEW COLUMBIAN having just been elegantly finished and being now ready for the reception of customers, the Proprietor would say to the citizens of Portland and the traveling public that he is now ready to receive and entertain all who may favor him with a call, at PRICES TO SUIT.

The NEW COLUMBIAN is an entirely new house, hard finished, rooms well ventilated and well furnished, and has capacity to accommodate (with comfort to the guests) six hundred people.

The DINING ROOM is large and commodious, has fine suits of rooms with connecting doors for families.

The TABLE will be furnished with the best the market affords, permitting no House to excel it either in quality or variety.

A large fire proof Safe for the deposit of valuables.—Baggage taken to the Hotel FREE OF CHARGE. House open all night.

Board per week $5. Board and Lodging $7 to $10.

The Proprietor will at all times endeavor to please his guests and would respectfully and earnestly solicit the patronage of the citizens of Portland and the traveling public.
P. B. SINNOTT, Proprietor.
Portland, Oregon, August 6th, 1864. dtf

What Cheer House,
Front St., between Morrison and Yamhill
M. O'CONNER, Proprietor.

WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM HIS PATRONS and the public generally that having moved into his
NEW AND SPLENDID HOTEL,
He is now prepared to accommodate any number of persons with Board and Lodging.

Each Room is furnished with entirely NEW FURNITURE, Carpeting and French Spring Mattresses.

The Table is furnished with EVERYTHING THE MARKET AFFORDS.

The Proprietor would express himself thankful for the continued patronage of the people for years, he would ask still the further patronage of the public, assuring them that no expense or labor will be spared in making this house the most desirable and agreeable Hotel in Oregon.

Good Fire Proof Safe for keeping Treasure, Valuables, &c. This House is OPEN AT ALL HOURS.

Baggage brought from Steamers FREE OF CHARGE.
Portland, May 6 1864. d&wtf

Western Hotel,
Corner of Morrison and First streets.
PORTLAND, OREGON,
S. D. SMITH, Proprietor.

THIS HOTEL, DURING THE LAST TWO MONTHS has been entirely repainted, refitted and enlarged by an addition of a number of new rooms and the proprietor is now able to offer additional inducements to the patrons of the house, and also solicits increased patronage from the traveling public.

Especial attention is called to his SUITS OF ROOMS and arrangements for the accommodation of families.

The RESTAURANT is under his immediate supervision, assisted by experts in the art cuisine, and he flatters himself he is now able to gratify the tastes and wishes of all.

Hotel open at all hours.
Portland, March 1st, 1865. dtf

WASHINGTON HOTEL,
Corner Second and Alder Sts.,
PORTLAND, OREGON.
JACOB KOENIG, Proprietor.
This Hotel is now open for the reception of Guests.

THE PROPRIETOR OF THE WASHINGTON HOTEL, long and favorably known to the public as the Proprietor of the New York Hotel, respectfully recommends his New Hard Finished House to his numerous friends in this City and vicinity and the Atlantic States, with the assurance that nothing will be omitted on his part to render the Washington Hotel as eligible a House as any in Portland, for City Boarders, as well as for Merchants and Families from the interior. This House is located in the very heart of the Commercial part of the City, and provided with every convenience calculated to render a stay in the same convenient and comfortable. The rooms are high and airy and everything new.

The Table will always be supplied with the best the market affords. sd15tf

Mansion House,
(Formerly What Cheer House.)

THIS WELL KNOWN HOTEL IS NOW OPEN for the reception of guests, after being thoroughly renovated and newly furnished:

TERMS

Board and Lodging, per week,	$6 00
Board without Lodging, per week,	5 00
Board per day,	1 00
Single Meals,	50
Lodgings,	25 to 50

E. CARNEY, Proprietor.

This House is conducted strictly on TEMPERANCE PRINCIPLES.
FIRE-PROOF SAFE in Office for valuables.
Baggage taken to the house free of charge.
Portland, May 10, 1864. dtf

Howard House,
Front St., near Steamboat Landing.
(Formerly kept by Jas. Going.)
MICHAEL LANE, Proprietor.

THIS WELL KNOWN HOTEL IS NOW OPEN FOR the reception of guests. It has been renovated and refurnished.

TERMS:
Board and Lodging from $5 00 to $7 00 per week.

FIRE PROOF SAFE for Valuables, and all baggage carefully taken care of.

There is a First-Class SALOON connected with the House, under the supervision of WILLIAM INGATE.
oct5 d1tf

NEW ARRANGEMENT!!
New Proprietors.
EMPIRE RESTAURANT
COR. FIRST AND WASHINGTON STS.

THIS RESTAURANT has been newly refitted and refurnished and is now prepared to accommodate a large number of Boarders and Lodgers.

The Table will at all times be supplied with the best the Market affords.

MEALS AT ALL HOURS!
Please give us a Trial.
A Private Dining Room for LADIES.
oct28tf MRS. C. HIGGINSON.

RAILROAD HOUSE,
FIRE PROOF BUILDING
Nos. 316, 318, 320 Commercial street,
SAN FRANCISCO.

THIS HOUSE CONTAINS ONE HUNDRED ROOMS Well Furnished.

The House is conducted on the European Plan. Rooms let with or without Board. Lodging by the day or week, if preferred.

The Table is supplied with the best the market affords, and is second to none in the State of California.

FIRST CLASS BOARD served up at Second Class Prices. By giving me a fair trial I guarantee perfect satisfaction.

LODGINGS 50 to 75 cents per night.

The Railroad House Coach will be in attendance on the arrival of Steamers to convey passengers and their baggage to the House Free of Charge.

A Fire-Proof Safe is attached to the Office for the Deposit of Valuables.
C. B. GREENE,
aug4daw4m1p Sole Proprietor.

RUSS HOUSE,
San Francisco, California.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS DAY PURCHASED the interest of Hasbrouck & Dyer in the above well known popular and [illegible] use.

The house will be under the management and control of SIMON H. SEYMOUR, recently of the Cosmopolitan Hotel, and R. H. PEARSON, late of the American Exchange. It will be thoroughly refitted, and its appointments will compare favorably with any Hotel in the State.

The proprietors, by strict attention to the comfort of their guests, hope to give satisfaction to all who may favor them with their patronage.
R. H. PEARSON & CO.
San Francisco, June 11th 1865. oct1 m1p

DELMONICO RESTAURANT.

THE undersigned, having purchased this popular institution, would inform his friends and the public generally that he intends to sustain its well known merits by keeping his table always supplied with the luxuries of the Market, and giving it and it his own personal supervision.

Meals at all Hours.
BOARD furnished by the day or week.
Portland, Nov 1 1865. 4w JOHN R. TRINDLE.

PACIFIC
Hotel & Restaurant,
OLYMPIA, W. T.

THE ABOVE WELL-KNOWN and Popular House, having been thoroughly renovated and newly furnished, is prepared to entertain guests in Greater Comfort, and in a more accommodating manner than can be done by any other house in the place. Meals to be had at all hours.

Call and assure yourselves of the truth of the above.
MRS. REBECCA HOWARD.
November 2, 1865. 6m

Beans! Beans!
PINK AND BAYO BEANS, just received by
RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.

The Field of Gettysburg

INTERESTING [illegible] THE GREAT BATTLE GROUND—THIRTEEN GENERALS REVISIT THE SCENE.

The field on which was fought the great battle of July 1863 has been the scene of renewed and remarkable interest during the long month of October. It has at various times during the month been visited by no less than thirteen of the Generals who commanded our forces during the three days upon which the fierce tide of battle surged over its slopes, ridges and hills, and upon which the fate of the great rebellion was sealed. They were induced to come mainly by the invitation of Colonel Batchelder, a gentleman who, as is well known in army circles, has been steadily engaged for the greater part of the time since the battle was fought in making a minute study of the entire field and of the particular movements and manœuvers upon all parts of the line during each of the three days' action, and who had succeeded in constructing an isometrical map giving the location and showing the relation of every regiment, federal and rebel, during the battle. He has indicated upon it, also, every slope, ridge and hill, every house, fence and tree, the headquarters of the different officers, the precise spots where various distinguished commanders fell, and numerous other details, which will furnish the historian and soldier invaluable aid in the study of the great decisive battle. It is one of the most remarkable specimens of minute, correct and elaborate labor that could be conceived, and has commanded the admiration of the greater part of the surviving commanders of Gettysburg. Colonel Batchelder has sent out special invitations to all the officers who fought here upon the 1st, 2d and 3d days of July, 1863, to revisit the field during this month of October and to review it and its reminiscences in his company, and it was this invitation which brought here so many distinguished officers. General Hancock and many of the others had visited the field in the earlier part of the month. General Warren, lately the commander of the Fifth Corps, who was Engineer in Chief at the battle of Gettysburg, arrived here on Thursday last, and on Friday he was followed by Gen. Crawford, the accomplished officer in command of the Pennsylvania Reserves upon this field, and whose dauntless valor and skillful and effective work upon the left of our line [illegible]. All these officers made their headquarters during their stay at the house of Colonel Tate, who is as fortunate in reminiscences of the field as he is happy in greeting those who visit it. I had the good fortune to accompany Generals Warren and Crawford during the three days' reconnoissance and examination they made of the lines of defense and of battle. The whole field was surveyed from the right of our line upon Culp's Hill to the left upon Round Top, including also the locality upon the Chambersburg road where the battle began and where, upon the first day, the brave Reynolds fell. The long natural ridge, flanked on both sides by hills, along which our defense was made, and the gentle undulating slope along which the great tide of battle surged, are, of course, permanent landmarks, but there are still to be seen abundant remnants of the rude earthworks hastily erected by our men and of the various positions and points of vantage that were more or less hotly contended for. All these and their values were visited and descanted upon, several of our party taking a purely military and scientific view of each point and of the whole matter, while others gave interesting reminiscences of the field. Here is Wadsworth's position, on the hill, at the right; here is Cemetery Hill, here are the long lines held by Hancock, along which the battle raged steadiest and fiercest; here it was the rebel Pickett made his tremendous charge; across Sickles' protrusive line; here is the bit of woods in which his men fought, and almost every tree in which is pierced by shot and shell; here is the peach orchard in which the gallant Graham, of New York, fought and was wounded; here was Sykes' command; here is the old stone wall, near the foot of Little Round Top, near which Crawford made his splendid charge on the second day of the battle, and beyond which he gathered in great bodies of prisoners and guns on the third and last day; forward in these woods fought Brooke; further to the left of Crawford's line are the formidable positions held by the dauntless Weed and Vincent, and here is the "Devil's Den," upon and around whose gigantic granite boulders was a long and bloody struggle. And so the field—some five miles in length along our lines—was passed over and over, and all its points of military and personal interest thoroughly examined and discussed. We had assuredly a grand field for a great battle at Gettysburg, and grandly indeed did our gallant army vindicate itself upon that field. From Cemetery Hill, an admirable view of our whole line during the main action can be had as far as Round Top, and no field of battle could be more easily comprehended.

I may add, for the benefit of army officers who did not revisit the field of Gettysburg during October, that Colonel Batchelder will remain there to meet them until the middle of this month.—*Cor. N. Y. Times.*

PUT DOWN THAT JUG!—For some time we have missed from the *Flag* that inflated rhetoric—that felicitous knock down and out species of argument—that "blood, hair and ground torn up" style of eloquence which was so peculiar to that fine paper, and so entertaining and inspiriting to us, and all along the conviction has been settling down upon us that his ancient "inspiration" was gone from the *Flag* man—that some miscreant had stolen the tripple thunderer's jug. Now we are certain of it—now we may even go so far as to say we know it. We have traced the spoiler to his haunts. We have found him; he is in the editorial chair of the *Oregon Statesman*. The following paragraph from that paper will convince any one that our instinct has not deceived us: "We publish to-day, a vile, degraded, infamous and execrably damnable and atrocious lie from the columns of the *Daily Oregonian*. Next week, when time and space will permit, we shall reply to it. For the present suffice it for this low, vulgar, foul mouthed and unrefined hell spawned hound to know that our eye is upon him and he cannot escape us." Now are we right? Come, you Oregon madcap, fetch back that jug!—*S. F. Dramatic Chronicle.*

A WATCH COLLECTOR.—In this city there is an individual who may be said to have a perfect passion for watches. He is the possessor of some fifteen or twenty, if not a couple of dozen of them. They are all made of the finest gold, and are not only of the nicest workmanship but very costly and valuable. One abounds in pearls, another in diamonds, and another in [illegible] of precious stones, and the dial, case and interior of each differ from that of each of the others. One strikes like a miniature cathedral bell, another is a repeater and tells the quarters, while another seems to sing like a little bird. One or two are uncommonly large and massive, having gold cases nearly a quarter of an inch in thickness; others are as small as a lady's watch. Each possesses its own particular and elegant key, chain and seal. Some are kept in one room of the house and some in another, and each is wound up and cared for every day by the hand of the same owner, whose taste and passion for watches and their appurtenances is great as that of other people for paintings, plate, medals or sculpture.—*Boston Transcript.*

A NAMELESS MAN.—A gentleman, thinking he was charged too much by a porter for the delivery of a parcel, asked him what his name was. "My name," replied the man, "is the same as my father's." "And what is his name," said the gentleman. "It is the same as mine." "Then what are they both?" "Why, they are both alike," answered the man again, and very deliberately walked off.

Nearly the whole crop of white wheat in Canada and much red wheat, with the cattle, the sheep, hogs and horses, have been purchased in Canada by citizens of the United States and brought to this country. It is estimated that the sales of produce and stock to Americans on account during the last three months have run up to the enormous figure of between five and six millions, in gold.

Mrs. Swisshelm comes down like a Goshawk on the female clerks in Washington, their tight shoes, pinched waists, [illegible] flashy dress, hoop skirts, [illegible] spangles, [illegible] and smiles. She moralizes severely and denounces the vanity, insipidity and want of delicacy of her [illegible] in the departments. Jane G. is not lovely nor is she young—that's what's the matter.

WADE HAMPTON TO THE PEOPLE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.—Expecting to leave the State in a few days for an uncertain period, I cannot do so without expressing to my fellow citizens my profound sense of the honor paid to me by the vote given to me in the recent election for Governor. In returning my thanks to them for the late spontaneous and extraordinary manifestation of their kindness, it is due to them that I should state the reasons which induced me to decline to be a candidate. In the first place, the Convention which gave the election of Governor to the people had with singular unanimity—though not in their public capacity—requested the distinguished gentleman who has been elected to become a candidate for the office. This he consented to do, though doubtless at great personal inconvenience and a heavy sacrifice of their private interests. Under these circumstances, I was unwilling to do anything that might cause a political contest in the State. I thought that no good could arise at home from such a contest, while it might do us infinite mischief abroad. The President of the United States had exhibited not only a strong disposition to protect the South from the radicalism of the North, but to reinstate us in our civil and political rights. I feared that my election—by embarrassing him in his labors and policy—might incidentally do harm to the State. Superadded to these considerations of a public character, deterring me from appearing as a candidate, there were others of a private nature no less strong. My affairs, neglected for five years, imperatively demanded my personal attention. Had I believed that my election as Governor could really benefit the State, or subserve any of her true interests, no sacrifice of private nature, however great, would have deterred me from accepting that or any other position to which she might have called me; but regarding my nomination only as a compliment from some of my former comrades, I felt at liberty to decline, though deeply sensible of the honor paid to me by the nomination, and the manner in which it was received throughout the State. These reasons, which I hope you will understand and appreciate, impelled me to withdraw my name. Having given the reasons for the course I pursued and expressed my thanks for your generous confidence in me, I should here close. But the evidence you have given of your kindness and confidence in me—evidence as unexpected as it is gratifying—authorizes me, I trust without presumption, to add a few words of counsel.

For years past it has been the boast of our State that there was but one party within her limits. Commendable and vital as that state of affairs was during the war, it is scarcely, if at all, less so now. Every association of the past, every duty of the present, every hope of the future, bid us still to stand "shoulder to shoulder." The work before us demands all the patriotism, all the courage, all the endurance of our whole people. Let no party strife, no minor issues, no petty politics divert us from the great and pressing work of the hour. That of reanimating as far as possible our prostrate and bleeding State, and rehabilitating her as speedily as may be with the forms, the rights and the sanctity of government and of law.

The bark which was launched a few years ago, amid such joyous acclamations, which was freighted with such precious hopes, and which was wafted on by such earnest prayers, has suffered shipwreck. It behooves us, as wise men, to build its broken timbers, as best we may, a raft, whereon we may hope to reach a haven of rest and safety.

It may be that when the forms of Government are restored and freedom of speech allowed to us, your late Convention will be subjected to harsh criticisms and its action impugned. Should such, unhappily, be the case, remember that you, the people of South Carolina, accepted this Convention as part and parcel of the terms of your surrender. The President has no shadow of authority, I admit—under the Constitution of the United States—to order a Convention in this or any other State, but, as a conqueror, he had the right to offer, not to dictate terms. The terms offered by him, you have accepted, and you are bound by every dictate of honor and manliness to abide by them honestly, and to keep in good faith the pledges you have given. I do not myself concur fully in all the measures adopted by the Convention, but I shall cheerfully acquiesce in the action it took to carry out faithfully the terms agreed on, and will willingly accord to it high praise for the manner in which it discharged its arduous and unwelcome labors. No similar body ever represented more largely than it did the dignity, the learning, the virtue and the [illegible] of the State, and I am sure that it was actuated by pure and high motives. Entertaining these views, I think it is our duty to sustain the action of the Convention in recognizing the abolition of slavery, to support the President of the United States as long as he manifests a disposition to restore all our rights as a sovereign State, and to give to our newly elected Governor a cordial co-operation in his grave and responsible duties. Above all, let us stand to our State; her record is honorable, her escutcheon untarnished. Here is our country—the land of our nativity, the home of our affections. Here all our hopes should center; here we have worshipped the God of our fathers; here, amid charred and blackened ruins, are the spots we once fondly called our homes, and here we buried the ashes of our kindred. All these sacred ties bind us to our State, and they are intensified by her suffering and her desolation.

> And as a child, when scaring sounds molest,
> Clings close and closer to the mother's breast;
> So the loud torrent and the whirlwind's roar
> But bind us to our native land the more.

I trust that you will pardon me for thus venturing to counsel you. Believe me, that it is in no presumptuous feeling that I do so, but solely in an honest, sincere and humble hope of contributing my mite to the welfare and honor of our State. What I have said has been evoked by your recent manifestations of kindness to me. This I shall cherish as one of the proudest recollections of my life, for it assures me of your belief that I have tried to do my duty. It only remains for me, in bidding you farewell, to say that whenever the State needs my services, she has only to command and I shall obey.

I am, very respectfully and gratefully, your fellow citizen, WADE HAMPTON.

A Paris letter in the *Nord* says:

The Emperor Napoleon is at present correcting the last proofs of his work on Algeria, which is shortly to be published. It is under the form of a letter to the Duke de Magenta, the Governor-General of the colony, and is a large octavo, in very clear characters.

PORTLAND
COMMERCIAL ACADEMY,
Cor. Front and Washington Sts.,
PARRISH'S BUILDING.

THIS INSTITUTION FORMERLY ESTABLISHED and conducted by the undersigned, will reopen for the receipt of Students in the Science and Practice of Double Entry Book Keeping and collateral branches
ON FRIDAY, 15TH INST.
Rooms open both Day and Evening.
T. PATTERSON, Principal.
Portland, Dec 15 1865. dtf

LINCOLN HOUSE,
Corner Washington and Front Streets,
PORTLAND, OREGON.

FIRST-CLASS HOTEL. LARGEST IN THE STATE. Charges Reasonable.
AN OMNIBUS will attend all the Boats and convey Passengers and their baggage to the House Free of Charge, or to any other House in the City for 50 cents.
S. COFFIN, Proprietor.
P. S.—HOT AND COLD BATHS in the House.
All the Steamers for Oregon City, Vancouver, Monticello and Astoria land at the Lincoln House Wharf.
Oregon *Statesman*, *Advocate* and Dalles *Mountaineer* copy 3 months and send bill to Lincoln House. au30 3m

Sugar and Rice!
WILL BE RECEIVED IN A FEW DAYS FROM Sandwich Islands direct
1,200 kegs SUGAR,
1,000 mats do
200 mats RICE,
And sold to the Trade in lots to suit purchasers by
RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.
Portland Dec 15 1865 dtf

Notice.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE BEEN DIRECTED TO act as Agents for owners of the Bark INDUSTRY and Shippers. Any information in regard to the goods from the wrecked vessel will be thankfully received.
ap1dtf RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.

The Daily Oregonian.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE STATE

FRIDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 29 1865

Contraction and Resumption

The financial policy of the Government as indicated by the Secretary of the Treasury looks to the immediate contraction of the currency and the resumption of specie payments at the earliest possible day. In the President's message as received by telegraph the people are recommended to be constantly on their guard to liquidate debts contracted in paper currency and by conducting business nearly on a cash basis or on short credits to hold themselves prepared to return to a specie standard. Further the President says "The gradual reduction of the currency is the only measure that can save the business of the country from disastrous calamities." The report of the Secretary of the Treasury at the opening of the present session of Congress has not yet been received here in full but it is understood that it is confirmatory of his views as recently expressed in his Fort Wayne speech. Every able financier in the country perceives the necessity of retiring a considerable part of our paper currency and of thus preparing the way for the resumption of specie payments. The fluctuations in the markets, the want of fixity and uniformity in prices the high premium on gold, and the excessively high rates at which all sorts of commodities are held, plainly indicate that the volume of paper money is much too large. The remedy, then is apparent. Withdraw a part of the paper from circulation so as to render the balance convertible into coin, and we shall have a speedy diminution of prices and business will settle upon a better and surer basis than now.

According to the statement of the Secretary of the Treasury, there was afloat in various forms on the 1st of October last $904,614,091 of purely national paper money. There are also in circulation $180 000 000 of the bills of the national banks. It is not known how large an amount the old State banks still have in circulation, but the sum no doubt is sufficiently great to carry up the aggregate of the currency to the inconceivable figure of $1,200,000,000.

Of this expansion, depreciation is the inevitable result. And as a result of depreciation, we have prices enormously high. Values are fictitious not genuine, and business rests on an unstable foundation. This over-issue of currency was necessary to answer the demands of the war and at the time, it was felt to be an evil. But it is an evil which, as Secretary McCulloch says, is to be corrected as soon as possible. At present a paper dollar is worth something less than seventy cents and no effort or demonstration men can make, will raise it to be worth more until a third part of the paper currency is withdrawn from circulation.

Gradual contraction will not cause a collapse of the business of the country. Were a third part of the currency withdrawn at once, it might prove disastrous, but if the reduction be accomplished gradually, business can be made to conform to the change. Let us have reduction, so that throughout the United States, the present inflation may come to an end, and the people witness the return of the days when a dollar was a dollar in fact, as well as in name.

AN AMAZING DISCOVERY.—Finding that all their efforts to restore life to the dead institution of slavery are in vain the Copperheads now admit that it can never be resuscitated. But they still exhibit what Carlyle calls "unreason," in that they continue to oppose the Amendment as obstinately as ever. They no longer sustain slavery for slavery's sake as they did of yore, but pretend now to oppose its abolition on the ground that the Constitutional Amendment is a dangerous usurpation. Twelve times already, a similar act of "usurpation" has received the sanction of the people. Twelve times had the Constitution been amended before the peril was seen; but when the Thirteenth amendment was proposed, the "Democracy" discovered that an alteration of our organic law in the regular Constitutional way, was fraught with danger to the rights of the States and the liberties of the people. So striking is this discovery, we are filled with wonder that it was not made long ago. Suppose, however, it were seriously proposed not only to revive slavery but to change the Constitution so as to make it lawful in every State of the Union, would those who are now mourning the loss of the admired institution see danger in the adoption of the proposition? Would not their fears about "usurpation" vanish instantly? The Copperhead shapes and squares his political conduct by the rule that it is right to do anything—right even to rebel—in order to sustain slavery, but wrong and terribly dangerous to abolish it even in a lawful way. The Copperhead's idea of slavery is that "there is a divinity that doth hedge it," and he would no more dare to profane the adorable and sacred institution than a pious Greek would have presumed to lay unhallowed hands upon the altar at Delphi, consecrated to the service of the avenging god Apollo.

AN ARGUMENT AGAINST THEMSELVES.—The Copperhead journals, as it seems, never will tire of publishing that precious excerpt from John Van Buren's speech in which it is alleged that as no "Democratic" President has died or been murdered while in office, this "curious fact" is to be taken as an unmistakable indication that Providence favors their party and is against their opponents. Now if we were a "Democrat" we should keep silence on this subject. We should regard the "curious fact" not as a proof of divine favor but as suggestive of the atrocious criminality of the party, or certain of its members. The argument, we should say, is against the "Democracy" rather than in their favor. But the *Review* doesn't see it in that light and therefore it boastfully republishes John Van Buren's statement. The Copperheads are unfortunate in the use of a manner of argument that is fit in its effects to be compared with Hudibras' blunderbuss, which

"Whether aimed at duck or plover
Always knocked its owner over."

A WORD FOR THE TIMOROUS.—Senator Wilson says that "the Union Republican party was born of free discussion, has lived and thrived and conquered by it." Those timid souls who are afraid to breathe a word—though never so softly—on public affairs lest they may say something which may damage the party and who prefer to be entirely reticent on matters of national importance and even to suppress independent thought lest they may disagree a very little with the President and thus cause disorganization in the Union ranks will do well to consider Mr Wilson's words.

The *Confederate Democrat* says "The Democracy will have no formidable competitor next June and need simply walk over the track to win." Do tell! If the "Democracy" are required to walk over the track to win we may be sure they will fail. The crapulent party will be too limpsy to walk or stand on election day. Such at least has been the case heretofore, with the bibacious guzzling "Democracy."

A cotemporary states that the Democrats have fully accepted the policy of the constitutional amendment forever abolishing slavery. If this is so, it places them in the same category with the terrible radical Abolitionists who have done so much to ruin the country during the last four years. It is added, however as a sort of reason for their strange conduct in this matter that "they (the Democrats) could not prevent its ultimate ratification." That is the key to the mystery.

The Quartermaster's Department has thus far realized between $6 000 000 and $8 000 000 from the sale of now useless army appurtenances.

By Overland Telegraph.

[DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

DATES TO DECEMBER 30.

Congressional—Senate

WASHINGTON, Dec 20—Mr Wade presented a memorial of the Society of Friends of Baltimore asking that something be done in behalf of the freedmen of the South. Referred to special committee on freedmen.

Anthony reported from the committee on printing a resolution for printing 20 000 copies of eulogies on the late Senator Collamer. Passed.

Griswold called up the House resolution providing for a recess, and moved that the Senate recede from its amendment. The Senate refused, and a committee on conference was agreed to.

The bill for the payment of $25 000 to Mrs Lincoln, was passed.

Mr Morrill from the Committee on the District of Columbia reported a bill to regulate the elective franchise in the District by removing the distinction of color as a qualification for its exercise.

Mr Sumner hoped it would be acted upon very soon. The country demanded it.

Mr Davis called Mr Sumner to order making a point of order that the bill was not before the Senate for discussion.

Mr Wilson called up the Senate bill to maintain the freedom of the inhabitants of the States lately in rebellion.

Mr Sumner addressed the Senate in favor of the bill. When he thought of what occurred in this chamber yesterday in heated temper to whitewash the unhappy condition of the rebel States, he felt that they ought to speak of nothing else to day. He proceeded to speak of the right of Congress to pass the bill and read letters from the Southern States private and public to show that the spirit of the rebellion still exists there, and the rights of the freedmen were being disregarded in all the Southern States.

House.

Morrill, of the Committee of Ways and Means, reported a bill authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to appoint Assistant Assessors of Internal Revenue. Passed.

Stevens of Pennsylvania introduced a bill to pay pension and damages done to Union property by rebels out of confiscated property. Referred to Committee of the Whole.

Lawrence of Ohio, submitted a resolution which was laid on the table to be printed affirming that Jeff Davis should be tried and punished for treason and also on account of the starving of prisoners.

Banks reported an amendment to the rules recognizing as officers of the House the reporters of the *Globe*. A debate ensued and the subject was sent to the Judiciary Committee to enquire whether there was any existing contract between the House and the publishers of the *Globe*, it having been contended that such an arrangement interfered with private rights.

The House concurred in the conference which reported to adjourn over the holidays from to morrow till the 5th of January.

Hall announced the death of Orlando Kellogg of Manchester, New Hampshire on the 20th.

An Increase of Tariff.

WASHINGTON Dec 20—The *Post's* Washington special says Senator Sprague has started a movement in the Senate looking to an increase of the tariff on all goods that can be manufactured in this country. The Western Republicans generally say they will not vote for a further increase.

Havana Advices.

NEW YORK, Dec 20—Havana advices to the 16th state that Gonzales, who was arrested in Havana as an accomplice in the Otero murder case in Brooklyn had been released.

The Freedmen's Bureau.

NEW YORK, Dec 20—General Howard, in his official report states that on entering upon the discharge of his duties he separated the bureau into four divisions—one of lands, another of financial affairs, another of record, and the fourth as a medical department. To each of these divisions he assigned an officer and secured the requisite number of clerks, by appointment from the ranks of the army. Before the organization of the bureau, the freedmen's affairs had been entrusted to different officers of the Government, thereby occasioning a diversity of system in different localities. A few assistant commissioners were at once appointed and sent to different places to organize bureaus and complete the work already commenced to settle the important question of labor as the safety of events would allow. An assistant commissioner, a civil or military officer was procured for each district, county or parish, where a portion of the citizens were hostile and disposed to outrage or take the life of the agents. These departments are subject to occasional inspection by an officer in connection with a patrol. The General acknowledges the hearty support of most of the department's commissioners in organizing and carrying out the plans of the Bureau.

The tenure of the Bureau upon abandoned property is regarded as the same as that possessed by the actual owner, except that said property may be restored by competent authority to its former owner.

It is probable that since the war has terminated little or no property will remain under the control of the Bureau. By this policy of restoration the expectations of the freemen that the land would be assigned to them have been disappointed, and difficulty has arisen thereby, but this has been overcome with comparative ease. Much embarrassment and actual suffering has resulted from the restoring of property, and much more will result from the curtailment of the Bureau. About five-hundredths of the entire amount of land of the insurrectionary districts has even been held and had not the plan of assigning it to freedmen been carried out the Bureau would have been unable to furnish an acre to a family. Experience has shown, as a general rule, that it is better to leave the price of labor to be regulated by demand. Schools have been established but the hostility of the white people to them is undisguised. Congress when it created the Bureau made no appropriation to defray its expenses. It has, however, derived funds from miscellaneous sources to the amount of $478 331 deducting the amount held as bounties $114,236 and the balance on hand $311,865 will be the amount available to meet the liabilities, $1 137,000. The amount held as claimed bounties is merely held for colored soldiers or their families. The bursting up of the plantation system has necessarily left the sick with little or no medical stores. As soon as they earn money and become better versed than they are now in the ordinary means of self support they will doubtless secure the necessary aid. From information derived from various reports of military officers inspectors and assistant commissioners General Howard arrived at the conclusion that free labor notwithstanding the sudden occupation and the thousands of causes of disturbances incident to the war, will be successful and that the Freedmen's Bureau or some substitute of national character will have to be continued, and that the present organization of the bureau with this understanding, cannot fail to be permanent and is as good as he could suggest except as to the subject of the freedmen's courts and the employment of civil agencies. Some general system for providing for the aged and infirm is necessary and it would be well to devote funds raised during the war for the benefit of the freedmen to secure sites and buildings for schools in the different States and that joint companies, whose object shall be to aid the poor blacks and whites in rents. Purchases and settlement of lands should be encouraged by the Government that the rights of the freedmen in renting and purchasing real estate property should be guaranteed beyond a question. It is estimated that the amount required for expenditures of the bureau for the fiscal year commencing January, 1866 will be $11 755 050.

Fire in New York

NEW YORK Dec 20—This morning a fire broke out in the New Hampshire House of Reformation near this city and destroyed all but the back walls. The inmates one hundred and twenty in number were rescued although most of them were asleep when the fire commenced excepting eight or ten who made their escape. They were removed to the Stock House connected with the farm. The buildings were insured for 20 000. Loss about $40 000.

The Reconstruction Question

NEW YORK Dec 20—The *Commercial's* Washington dispatch says "The President's action in restoring the Southern States which have adopted the Constitutional Amendment to the enjoyment of all their constitutional privileges except representation in Congress has paralyzed the action of the radical Republicans and produced an intense interest and an exciting contest may be expected however between the radicals and conservatives supporters of the President.

Riot Among Soldiers

FORTRESS MONROE Dec 17—A fleet of upwards of twenty sailing vessels are in this harbor wind bound.

A riot took place in Norfolk, Va yesterday between the 20th New York regiment and the 35th United States colored. A volley of from ten to twelve muskets was fired by the 20th upon the colored soldiers which was about to be returned when their officers arrived and put an end to the disturbance. It however, for some time threatened to be very serious. Only one man, colored was injured.

Resignation of a Canadian Minister

TORONTO Dec 20—Hon George Brown has resigned his seat in the Cabinet, there being a great difference of opinion on an important subject. The particulars have not transpired.

The Northern Pacific Railroad

Brig Gen Hazard Stevens son of Gen. I I Stevens, (formerly Governor of Washington Territory, and who was killed by the rebels) has written a communication to the New York *Times*, concerning the Pacific Railroad in which he refers to the general subject and to the newly agitated project of a Northern route, as follows:

As everybody is aware this subject some years ago engaged the serious attention of Congress, and so far back as 1860 a select committee was instructed to report upon it. Perhaps its importance will now justify the republication, very briefly, of some of the conclusions arrived at by that committee so far as regards the Northern route.

The report submitted to Congress shows that such a line is required for the defence, as well as the development of the Northwest, and that it is demanded to enable this country to control the course of the trade of Asia. It further shows that the Northern route is the shortest connecting great water lines, that its facilities of construction are the greatest, that the country tributary to it is best adapted for settlement and that it abounds in timber building stone, iron and coal—all invaluable for purposes of railway construction. The Missouri and Columbia rivers too, says the same State paper, are stated to run in such proximity to the course of the route as by the means of transport they would afford enormously to facilitate the conveyance and obtain the cost of materials necessary to be forwarded to build the line. They would, in addition, enable the construction to be worked simultaneously in four different divisions the extremity of each resting on water lines and thus the road could move on at once on eight different sections.

The same high authority shows that speaking generally there is no worthless land on the whole route. The worst tract extends only about 50 miles and even this is dotted with spots of good grazing and arable land.

The fear of engineering difficulties, says the report, may be dismissed altogether—there are none which cannot be easily overcome by skill labor, and capital.

My late father, Gen. Stevens, too, in his report to Congress gives substantially the same evidence and takes special care to show that there is nothing whatever to be dreaded from cold or heavy snowdrifts; neither of those bears any comparison with the same drawbacks in Lower Canada where at its extreme eastern limits, the Grand Trunk line works without any difficulty and with much punctuality as to observance of time tables, in the most rigorous winter months.

Apropos of Canada, it has been suggested that that province would be loth to give any encouragement—material or otherwise—in aid of the Northern Pacific Railroad. This, if true would argue a blindness to her own interests, which she is not unaccustomed to exhibit. It must, so far as Canada is concerned be either the Northern Pacific or none—for there never can be a line from sea to sea throughout British territory. That eminent English officer and explorer, Capt Palliser, in a report to his Government, says "The knowledge of the country would never lead me to advocate a line of communication from Canada to the Pacific exclusively through British territory." And again, in reply to the late Duke of Newcastle the same gentleman emphatically reiterates "I cannot recommend the Imperial Government to countenance or lend support to any scheme for the construction or, it may be said, furnishing a thoroughfare by this route, either by land or water, as there would be no advantage commensurate with the required sacrifice of capital." A glance at the map will show that nature has put her veto on any such line, which could only be constructed along the desolate and rocky shores of Lakes Superior and Huron, and this will never be accomplished.

Many other eminent authorities in favor of a Northern Pacific Railroad could be quoted. Among them, Prof Maury, whose recent political course in no way detracts from his well earned and world-wide scientific reputation.

In fact, the more closely the matter is studied, the plainer it becomes that American interests demand the construction of this line. It is not only a political and national necessity, but it would also prove an excellent commercial investment, possessing as it will do the fee-simple of fifty millions of acres of land desirable as any that could tempt settlement. And it would not only enrich all our own great Atlantic cities, but with the necessary outlay of capital, it might be made to act as a feeder of the Grand Trunk Railway of Canada, and thus give to that line a prosperity which it could derive from no other channel. But as our northern neighbors are always tolerably alive to their own interests, it is unnecessary to dwell on this point, which, indeed, does not properly belong to the subject.

THE MINER OF '49 IN '65.—The old miner of '49 is a peculiar individual, differing in many respects from the settler of later years. Enter his cabin and there are always the indubitable evidences of a miserable life of single male blessedness. The blanket-spread cot; the little rough table, with its scanty array of crockery; the old battered stove, or fire-place, the inevitable sack of flour, half sack of potatoes, and chunk of pork; the old clothes, old boots, and a few books and papers, go far in making out the extent of the miner's worldly possessions. A little patch of cultivated ground, enclosed by old sluice lumber, is sometimes an accompaniment, as well as a dog and a few fowls. The inhabitant of this cabin is often in appearance rough, gray, and grizzly. He came out sixteen years ago, and his residence has always been on the gulch where we now find him. Probably it rejoices in the euphonious name of Jackass Gulch, Shirttail Bar, or Mad Mule Canon. He does his trading at a store at Diggerburgh. Fortified with a few dollars in dust accumulated by the hardest toil through the week, there he betakes himself on Sunday, and purchases—what? A few pounds of flour a little tea, coffee and sugar, and the balance goes for whisky. Yes, it does. True he didn't mean to spend it in that way but he gets stuck, game after game, by his cronies, so that when he leaves for home with his supply of provisions, he is not always a perfect specimen of "*compos mentis*." He can tell where all the rich spots have been in the rivers bars, gulches and flats but that was in the glorious, wicked, cutting shooting, fortune-making times of yore. He can't tell where there are any rich spots now. He is certain that there is a rich quartz ledge in the mountain yonder, and if he could get water on the flat there he is sure it would pay good wages. Excess of fortune spoiled him in '49. Economy to him is a myth, and cheerfully he entertains half a dozen friends, though his magazine of provisions as well as money be in the same stage of exhaustion. His supper cooked, he thinks of home—that is the home of sixteen years ago. To him there is no realization that time has taken such a flight over his head. In reality he has no home. Mentally, he sees the faces of his youth, fresh and blooming but many of those features are old and withered now—bodies have long since turned to dust. Were he even to return to the Eastern shores, he would find himself a stranger in a strange land. He thinks he'll go back "some time or other." Fortune sometimes favors him a trifle more than usual, he may make a trip to the Bay. He stops at the What Cheer House. He may be seen there by hundreds. Poor fellow! He came here to enjoy himself but the fact is he don't know how. The novelty of the city wears off in a day or two. Without occupation his routine of life broken, he becomes a victim of a disease for which the French only could invent a name—"ennui." At night he can go to the theatre but by day, sits in rows in the halls of the hotel crowds the entrance and sometimes blocks up the street. His face is an expression of wild bewilderment and intense weariness. Unaccustomed to the hurry and bustle of the city he collides frequently with the denizens of the metropolis. The spruce, fashionably dressed frizzle headed clerks who flit by, excite in him feelings of contempt and indignation. The honest miner is down on "airs." Mentally, he calls them squirts. The swarms of youthful females in the streets astonish delight and tantalize him. But the digger of the auriferous dirt often leaves the city with the knowledge that the world has gone far ahead of him during his lonely residence in the mountains.—*G Val Era.*

THE ASSAULT ON VALLANDIGHAM—THE SOLDIERS CALL HIM THE TRAITOR.—A gentleman who resides in Dayton and who witnessed most of the affair gives us in substance the following account of the trouble C. L. Vallandigham had in Lebanon a few evenings ago.

While awaiting the departure of the train South which was delayed by the failure of the train from the North to arrive on time a gentleman privately informed Vallandigham that he had better secrete himself till the train was ready to start, as threats had been made by some returned soldiers of treating him roughly. Vallandigham instantly profited by the hint, and left the place. Our informant had almost forgotten the circumstance, and some time afterwards was agreeably seated in the passenger car, when some one rushed in almost exhausted, his hat crushed down over his face, and the crown bearing marks of assault, and he sank down upon a seat, apparently much alarmed. The next instant our informant heard a crowd mount the platform and the words, "D—n traitor! I give him a good one!" Our informant then recognized Vallandigham upon the seat near him. Several men came into the car cursing V., addressing to him a multitude of opprobrious epithets, and denouncing him as a miserable traitor, who ought to be strung up. Some of the more violent were for taking him out of the car and "fixing him" as they said. Persons in the car tried to pacify the men, but they were warned to dry up.

Our informant then went to the conductor and insisted on his coming into the car to protect V. but the conductor said there was no use to try it for they would maltreat him also. He was then asked to back the train down the road some distance, and await the arrival of the train they were expecting, but he said he had no right to do so yet he finally agreed to go into the car and try to prevail on the rioters to leave. He entered the car and endeavored to enforce order, but the men told him they were as "good as any man who carried a lantern and hauled traitors" and they hustled him out of the car. The men then renewed their abuse of V., and some of them insisted on taking him out and putting him through. All this time the noise in the outside of the car was becoming loud and threatening and clubs and stones were flashing and clattering against the car. To all this abuse and menace V did not reply but remained silent and downcast. Fortunately at this moment the train started just as the mob spirit was culminating and our informant thinks there is no doubt V was thus spared more violent treatment. The passengers were powerless to prevent the indignities heaped upon him. The pretext for this outrage upon V was that he had made himself obnoxious on account of his course during the war.—*Dayton (Ohio) Journal.*

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THE BOILER ENGINES and MACHINERY, formerly in Knott's Ferry Boat. Also three [illegible] and two Flat Boats. Apply to A F DENNISON, At Arrigoni's Hotel.

Portland, Dec 16, 1865 d2t

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LARGE AND [illegible]

DRY GOODS

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SATURDAY, DEC [illegible]

At 10 o'[illegible]

ELEGANT SILK,
FINE SILK do
FINE MOIRE ANTIQUE [illegible]
FRENCH AND [illegible]
TOULON DELAIN [illegible]
[illegible] SHAWLS
ROBES DE CHAMBRE,
SPLENDID BROCHE [illegible]
VELVET and [illegible]
FINE VELVET TABLE [illegible]
FINE IRISH LINEN
do do
GENTS' FINE [illegible]
EXTRA FINE [illegible]
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do MUSLIN [illegible]

A. B. RICHARDSON

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Valuable [illegible]

Lot numbered [illegible] north [illegible] fifty (50) feet [illegible] (100) feet [illegible] The Property is [illegible] Fruit Trees on the [illegible]

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No. 220 Front street [illegible]

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226 Front St [illegible]

Notice.

THE BUSINESS heretofore [illegible] style of W F TAAFFE [illegible] will hereafter be conducted [illegible] MEAGHER, TAAFFE & CO. [illegible]

San Francisco, Nov 4, 1865 [illegible]

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The Daily Oregonian.

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Legal Tender rates ... 68@68½
New York Gold Quotation ... 146

TO OPEN LAY OUT AND WIDEN STREETS.—Below we publish an act to authorize the City of Portland to open lay out and widen streets and alleys and to appropriate private property therefor, passed at the late Special Session of the Legislative Assembly and approved December 19th, 1865:

AN ACT to authorize the City of Portland to open lay out and widen streets and alleys and to appropriate private property therefor

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon

Sec. 1 That the Common Council of the City of Portland has power and authority within the city, whenever it deems it expedient to open lay out establish and widen streets and alleys and to appropriate private property for that purpose

Sec. 2 Whenever the Council shall deem it expedient to lay out and establish or widen a street or alley, it shall direct the City Surveyor to survey such proposed new street or alley, or such widened street or alley as the case may be and to mark the boundaries thereof and to make his report containing a plat of the survey of such street or alley and a full and perfect description of such street or alley and the boundaries thereof and of the portion of each lot or part thereof to be appropriated for such street or alley to the Council which report when so made if satisfactory to the Council shall be adopted by an ordinance embodying such report. The City Surveyor shall make such survey and report within twenty days from the time the same is ordered unless the Council grant further time

Sec. 3 Thereafter and within thirty days after the adoption of such report the Council shall appoint three disinterested freeholders of the City of Portland, no kin to any owner or person interested in any property to be appropriated possessing the qualifications of jurors of the Circuit Court of the county of Multnomah to view such proposed and make an assessment of damages and benefits as provided in the next following section of this act, and shall assign a day and place for them to meet and shall cause a notice to be given by publication in some daily newspaper published in the City of Portland, of the appointment of such viewers and their names and the time and place appointed for them to meet, and specifying with convenient certainty the boundaries and terminus of the proposed street or alley to be laid out established or widened, as the case may be, and the boundaries and description of the private property to be appropriated for such purpose

Sec. 4. The Auditor and Clerk of the City shall immediately and at least five days before the day assigned for such meeting, cause such viewers to be notified of their appointment and of the time and place of meeting, and such viewers shall, at the time and place designated, and after being sworn faithfully to discharge the duties assigned them, and shall then or on any other day to which they may adjourn, not exceeding ... days, proceed to view the proposed street or alley and to assess and determine how much less valuable, if any, any lands, tenements, hereditaments or premises, or any part thereof, through which or any part of which such street or alley is to be laid out, established, or widened, will be rendered by the laying out, establishing or widening of such street or alley, and if several persons have different estates or interests in any such lands or any improvements thereon, the damages which each of such persons will respectively sustain, according to the rules of law applicable to partition, and shall also, make a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefits and advantages of such street or alley to be laid out, established, or widened as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees or other persons interested in any lands, tenements and premises, any part of which is required for the opening, laying out, establishing or widening of such street or alley in excess of the damages to any such owner, lessee or other person interested, sustained by reason of the opening, laying out, establishing or widening of any such street or alley, and of the value of the benefit and advantage of such street or alley to the respective owners, lessees, or other persons interested in any lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out, establishing or widening any such street or alley but fronting or to front thereon, or being at and within half the distance of the next street or alley thereto, and also within one hundred feet of the boundary of the street or alley to be laid out, established or widened on each side thereof, and which the said viewers shall deem to be benefitted by such street or alley in respect to the respective estate and interest of said owners, lessees and other persons respectively so interested in any lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, and shall report such assessment to the next session of the Council. The respective sums so assessed by the said viewers upon the owners, lessees or other parties in interest in the lands, ... assessed by the said viewers to be benefited by the opening, laying out or widening of such street or alley under the provisions of this act, shall be a lien or charge upon the estate and interest of the respective owners, lessees and parties interested in such lands, tenements and premises for and on account of which the said respective sums shall be assessed by the said viewers, and the said respective owners, lessees or other parties interested therein, and shall be entered on the docket of City Liens in like manner as assessments for street improvements in said city of Portland, and the said owners, lessees and other persons ... shall, moreover be respectively and severally liable to pay such assessment; and in case no appeal is taken as to any assessment of benefits, the said assessment shall be paid to the Treasurer of the said city of Portland within ten days from the expiration of the time limited for appeal, or the same shall be deemed delinquent, and thereupon, whenever the Council shall so order, shall be collected in like manner as is provided for the collection of delinquent taxes by the charter of the city of Portland. All moneys arising from such assessment of benefits shall be kept in a separate fund and be applied towards the satisfaction of the damages assessed to owners and other persons interested in property taken for the purpose of laying out establishing or widening the street or alley in which such assessment were made. The liability to pay a tax or assessment as provided by this act, to satisfy any such assessment of damages shall not disqualify any person from serving as such viewer

Sec. 5 If it shall appear to the Council that the damages assessed are unreasonable or that the benefits assessed are insufficient in any respect, the Council may set aside such view and order another view under the same regulations as provided in case of the first view The viewers shall receive as compensation for their services the same fees as referees in Courts of record, to be paid by the city.

Sec. 6 If no further view be ordered, the Council shall at the expiration of the time hereinafter limited for appeal, if no appeal shall be taken, and immediately after judgment is rendered if an appeal be taken, make an appropriation of the amount of damages, or damages and costs as the case may be assessed by such view or by the jury on appeal against the city and shall order warrants drawn upon the Treasurer payable out of a fund to be provided for that purpose, for the amount of damages or damages and costs assessed to the owner or owners or other persons interested in each lot or part thereof or of the improvements thereon in favor of the owners or lessees, or other persons in interest and as hereinafter as the full amount of such appropriation shall be in the city treasury subject to such warrants, and the amounts respectively assessed shall be tendered to the parties entitled to the same, such property shall be deemed appropriated for the purposes of such street or alley and not otherwise *Provided* that no process of any Court shall issue to compel any appropriation for damages or the issuing of warrants for damages.

Sec. 7 The owner or owners of any lot or part thereof sought to be appropriated as aforesaid or of the improvements thereon or any person having an interest therein or any person upon whom an assessment of benefit has been made, may appeal to the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the county of Multnomah from such report and assessment of damages and benefits. Any number of persons may join in such appeal and all appeals from such assessment shall be tried as one action, and the only question to be determined by such appeal shall be the question of damages and benefits

Sec. 8 An appeal shall be taken by serving notice of appeal upon the Mayor Auditor and Clerk, or Attorney of the City and filing an undertaking, with one or more sureties who shall qualify in the same manner as bail upon arrest in a civil action conditioned that the appellant will pay all costs and disbursements that may be awarded against them on appeal not exceeding ... hundred dollars, together with proof of the service of such notice in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court within twenty days from the filing of the report of the viewers by the ...

Sec. 9 ... appeal shall be deemed and be heard and determined and the judgment thereon entered as far as practicable in the same manner as ... at law The jury shall view the proposed street or alley the property to be appropriated and the property against which benefits are assessed and proof of damages and benefits may be introduced by the city and the appellants the city shall be considered the plaintiff The jury shall assess and determine by their verdict how much less valuable if any such lot or part thereof with the improvements may be rendered by the laying out establishing or widening of such street or alley and in case of persons having different estates and separate interests in any lot or part thereof or of the improvements thereon shall apportion the same between them and shall also assess and determine the value of the benefit and advantages if any of such street or alley so to be opened laid out established or widened as the case may be to the respective owners lessees and other persons interested in any lands tenements hereditaments and premises any part of which is required for the opening laying out establishing or widening of such street or alley in excess of the damages which any such owner lessee or other person interested will sustain by reason of the opening laying out establishing or widening of any such street or alley and assess and determine the value of the benefits and advantages of such street or alley to the respective owners lessees or other persons interested in any lands tenements hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening laying out establishing or widening any such street or alley but fronting or to front thereon or being at and within half the distance of the next street or alley thereto and also within one hundred feet of the boundary of the street or alley to be laid out established or widened on each side thereof and which the jury shall deem to be benefitted by such street or alley in respect to the respective estate and interest of said owners lessees and other persons respectively so interested in any lands tenements and premises but the issues testimony and verdict upon such appeal shall be confined to the parties appealing and the jury shall not reassess any damages or benefits unappealed from The verdict of the jury shall be a final and conclusive determination of the matter of such assessment

Sec 10 If the appellants or any of them fail to recover greater damages or to secure a more favorable assessment of benefits as the case may be, than were assessed by the viewers judgment shall be rendered against them and their sureties on the official bond for their proportion of the costs of such appeal to be paid *pro rata* according to the amount of damages and benefit assessed and in all cases against the appellants appealing from an assessment of benefits for the amount of benefits assessed by the jury against them, and against the City for the damages assessed to the owner or other person interested in any lands tenement and premises and for the costs of such appeal that are not adjudged against the appellant

Sec 11 The same fees and costs shall be taxed and paid upon such appeal as are allowed in other actions

Sec. 12 The power and authority granted to the Council by this act is granted to the Municipal Corporation of the city of Portland, to be exercised according to the provisions of the act creating such Corporation unless otherwise specially provided herein The power to approve and adopt the survey of any street or alley or to appropriate money as herein granted, must be exercised by ordinance and not otherwise

Sec 13 The Council may provide by ordinance any regulations as to the manner of opening laying out, establishing and widening streets and alleys not in conflict with this act, and may provide by ordinance anything convenient and necessary for the effectual carrying out of the spirit and intention of this act

Sec 14 In all actions, suits and proceedings concerning the opening, laying out, establishing or widening of any street or alley under the provisions of this act, all the proceedings had for that purpose shall be presumed to have been regularly and legally taken until the contrary is shown

Approved December 19, 1865

ST HELENS.—The *Statesman* publishes a paragraph based upon a private letter, purporting to confirm the sale of St Helens to a company having a capital of $3 000,000, and naming Captain W L Dall, and S J Hensly, of San Francisco and Commodore Webb of New York, as the principal stockholders of the company A new line of steamships to the Columbia, stopping at St Helens, is mentioned as part of the plan to make that town a rival of Portland We publish this merely to show that class of our people who are forever grumbling about and opposing such measures as the construction of a dredger to clean the channel of this river so as to make ... who are afraid to advance $5 $10 $20 or $100 for any object calculated to be of advantage to this city, that they must lay aside this penuriousness, and enter upon a more liberal course, or their real estate, city corner lots, and tenement buildings, may at some future day, lose to them their present wealth There is no ... of doubt but that as a class the substantial men of this city are ... lacking in foresight of the true principles of prosperity By merely accumulating and holding on to $20 pieces, only expending them to *feel the authority of the powers that be* they cannot hope for any great future to the city in which all they have got is invested Here they have become rich, accidentally, because of others, who by managing for themselves, have built up a place about them The recent efforts to raise the insignificant sum of $6,000 for one of the most note worthy objects that money could ever be expended upon by citizens of this place the building of ... communication with Montana proved abortive, simply on account of the niggardly selfishness that is so characteristic of certain capitalists of this place Recently a man sold real estate in Portland for upwards of $45 000 which less than ten years ago he purchased for a sum not exceeding $2,500! Yet, that man never had any public spirit, to speak of. He was found always in opposition to the improvement of streets He cursed the Council for not permitting him to make a cow yard of the city and allowing his hogs to run unmuzzled He sold because the city was a curse to him! But where can he make $42,500 in a single decade, so easy as he took that little advance on real estate? Our wish is that enterprising men may come here and buy every man out who has such a dread of city governments Unless some such thing should happen it would not surprise us if St Helens did become rather a sore spot for us all

FROM THE DALLES.—Hon W C Johnson S A Moreland, City ... and others left the Dalles by a train of mules on Friday last. They made slow progress. At the Cascades Mr ... gave up the further prosecution of the journey overland, and on Tuesday was fortunate enough to meet with the steamer ... which he took passage for this city The same day in the afternoon those who had continued with the mule train were taken on the steamer about fifteen miles below the Cascades and then were frozen in for twenty four hours below Vancouver arriving here on Wednesday Those we have seen confirm previous statements of the horrible condition over the trail

WILLAMETTE THEATER.—The air about Willamette Theater is greatly purified by the thoroughly dramatic plays of Mr Ward's company in the present engagement So far the season has been a success and if our people will but encourage the gentlemen and ladies with their presence, they will be the better able to make the season successful The attendance generally is very good and the parts of performance much better rendered than one would expect in a superficial view of things

WITNESS HELD.—A H Flora, the prosecuting witness in the case of the State vs. Cedalia Lyon and Geo Redue was held in bonds of $500 for his appearance to testify in the case at the next term of the Circuit Court Flora had no intimation or intention of leaving but there was an outside arrangement likely to bring about some proposition tending to this result and the officers concluded it would be no harm to require bonds of Mr Flora He cheerfully complied with the order of the Court

ANNUAL FESTIVAL.—The scholars and friends of the Presbyterian Sabbath school met together at the basement of the church on Wednesday evening and enjoyed their annual festival A supper was given by the teachers of the school, previous to which the Superintendent Mr R H Law, was presented with some valuable works of a literary character by Rev Mr Caffrey

I O O F ELECTION.—The following named gentlemen were elected officers of Ellison Encampment No 1 I O O F at the late meeting of Patriarchs for that purpose: Al Zeiber C P; Cris Taylor, H P; Jas Elton S W W Dierdorff Scribe; L Goodman J W The officers will be installed on Tuesday evening January 9th, 1866

IN THE DARK.—"French Louis" arrived here on Wednesday night with a train of pack animals from the Dalles, for a cargo of freight It is reported that the denizens of the Dalles are literally in the dark They have no kerosene or candles and the gas works are not in operation

SPRING-LIKE.—The late inclement season was yesterday handsomely rounded off by the appearance of a clear sky and balmy air which so often forms the period to a tedious story of columns of icicles written in sheets of snow upon the pages of winter

LECTURE OF MR. ATKINSON.—Remember the Temperance Lecture this evening The lecture will commence at half past seven o'clock instead of at seven as stated in yesterday morning's paper

ADJOURNED.—The last term of the Circuit Court which has been held so long adjourned on Wednesday evening *sine die* It must have been a relief to Judge Shattuck

THE STEAMER.—Dispatches received last evening give the impression that the steamer Sierra Nevada sailed for this place on Tuesday last

MASONIC.—Special meeting of Harmony Lodge No 12 this evening Work in E A degree

REMINDER.—The bane of the world is procrastination How mournfully is this verified in the frightful and needless loss of life from Consumption which ... certainly have been cured and thousands of valuable lives saved to bless the world by a timely use of Newell's Pulmonary Syrup which is known to be the most effectual remedy ever offered to the public for all affections of the lungs Try it and be convinced

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A NEW PAPER IN CHARLESTON.—The *Leader* is the title of a new weekly paper in Charleston, S. C., devoted to the cause of the freedmen In its first number appears the following letter from Senator Sumner addressed to a gentleman in Charleston

I hope that you will do everything possible in ordering ... and pushing ... to the colored people But they ... that their friends will stand by them All who oppose ... any regard for the Declaration of Independence ought to unite ... that they shall ... the ... order ... Believe me faithfully yours
CHARLES SUMNER

When Mr Jefferson was asked respecting his religion ... It is known to God and myself ... will ... honest and dutiful to society, the religion ... has ... at ... the ...

A ... Scotchman ... not far from ... Edinburgh? ... half way to ... Please, sir ... said the ... I ... where ...

INFLUENZA ... CURED BY taking ... Balsam with some ...

COME ALWAYS IN THE FORENOON! The undersigned is still taking Pictures in this City at WOOLARD'S GALLERY ... corner of Front and Morrison streets and those wishing the BEST PHOTOGRAPHS CARTES DE VISITE or other style of ... in the best time to have Negatives taken His ability to please ... is conceded ... necessity of speaking in that respect

OREGON VIEWS suitable for Albums Stereoscopic ... all ... figures singly or by the dozen Give me a call
Portland Oct 25 1865 JOSEPH BUCHTEL

MANY CASES OF RHEUMATISM SKIN DISEASE Diseases of the Urinary Organs and indeed of Chronic Disease generally seem not curable by ordinary medical treatment however skillful For this reason the undersigned has made arrangements for the treatment of this class of disease by which the patient may have the benefit of Dr Langston Parker's method of treatment by fumigations, the use of many of the mineral and saline waters; baths in sea water; general and local baths of water heated air and simple and medicated vapor in addition to such other medical or surgical treatment as may be indicated
J L TOOMBS M D

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GREY FUR LOST!

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DR. R. GLISAN,

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Portland, Oregon, Nov 4th 1864 ... dawtf

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ja1 By order of N G

Harmony Lodge, No. 12, F & A. M.—Meets on 2d and 4th Mondays of each month at 7 o'clock P M Brethren in good standing are invited to attend By order of W M

Ellison Encampment No. 1., I. O. of O. F., Meets on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at ... o'clock P M Patriarchs in good standing are invited to attend By order of C P
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Willamette Lodge No. 2, F & A. M.—Holds its Regular Communications on the 1st and 3d Mondays of each month at 7 o'clock P M Brethren in good standing are invited to attend By order of W M
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Portland Dec 17th, 1865. dtf

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FOR

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SANTA CLAUS

Has arrived in town and established his

HEAD-QUARTERS

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105 Front Street, (opposite Mount Hood)

Where he has opened his Budget of

TOYS,
GIFTS and
PRESENTS

FOR THE HOLIDAYS!!

And which he is prepared to distribute

FREE TO ALL!

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THE LARGEST STOCK!

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Can be seen at

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SANTA CLAUS' PROCLAMATION!

I, SANTA CLAUS—known as the Children's good friend
These PRESENTS send Greeting that all may attend
At McCORMICK'S, on FRONT STREET, where I can be found
Distributing GIFTS to Cash Customers round
MERRY CHRISTMAS is coming and HAPPY NEW YEAR
With its PRESENTS and GIFTS will soon be here,
That Festival time when SANTA CLAUS brings
Hundreds of BOOKS pretty TOYS and other good things,
My HEADQUARTERS in Portland are now as of yore,
At McCORMICK'S on FRONT STREET—the FRANKLIN BOOK STORE
There are BOOKS of all kinds, and plenty of TOYS,
DOLLS for the Girls, and DRUMS for the Boys,
PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS, and BIBLES so nice,
From one dollar to twenty—they vary in price—
GIFT BOOKS and PRESENTS, and DOLLS of all sizes,
Some move their heads and some move their eyes—
There's Wagons with Horses and Wagons without
Whips, Whistles and Whirligigs for turning about
There are cities in boxes with trees in each park;
Whole regiments of Soldiers and all Noah's Ark
There's BOOKS of all sizes and Alphabet Blocks
And TOYS of all kinds down to Jack in the box

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Excellent Duets for Piano and Violin

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WESTPORT MILLS Dec 16 1865 ... JOHN WEST & CO
dec20d1m

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TWO FARMS THIRTEEN MILES FROM PORTLAND Apply at the Washington Hotel corner of Second and Alder streets
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70 HF BBLS AND KITS OF EXTRA NO 1 MACKEREL, direct from Boston at
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Mining Notices.

Santiam Gold and Silver Mining Company.—Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of said Company held at their office in Salem on the 22d day of December 1865 it was ordered that all of the Capital Stock of said Company on which there shall remain due any assessment or assessments heretofore levied on Monday the 1st day of January 1866 shall on that day be advertised for sale

By order of the Board of Directors
B MALLORY, Secretary
Salem Dec 23, 1865. ... d20d6t

WHOLESALE
DRUGGIST
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OREGON.

OFFERS TO THE TRADE IN QUANTITIES TO SUIT, at low rates, a general assortment of

DRUGS, CHEMICALS,
PATENT MEDICINES,
PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES,
PAINTERS' MATERIAL,
PERFUMERY,
TOILET SOAPS, FANCY GOODS, &C.

and a general variety of articles kept in a FIRST CLASS DRUG STORE.

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Physician's Prescriptions Compounded by an Experienced Apothecary
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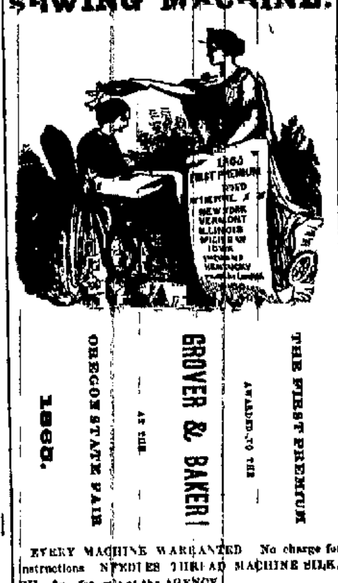

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A Rare Chance to Purchase
A FIRST-CLASS HOTEL!

THE HOTEL KNOWN AS SPRENGER'S CITY HOTEL at CORVALLIS will be sold at Sheriff's Sale on the 30th inst

☞ THIS BUILDING COST $12 000 and is in first Rate Repair and has the best ... of ... any Hotel between Portland and Jacksonville

Title perfect Will be sold for gold coin to the highest bidder See Sheriff's advertisement in Corvallis Gazette
Corvallis December 6 1865
dec11d2w ... ISAAC SPRENGER

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THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICE PAID IN CASH
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FIRST ANNUAL BALL

OF THE

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CONSUMPTION,

Which carries off more victims than any other disease, and which baffles the skill of the Physician to a greater extent than any other malady, often

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when all others prove ineffectual.

AS A MEDICINE,

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While as a preparation, free from ... ingredients, poisons or minerals; uniting skill, science and medical knowledge, combining all that is valuable in the vegetable kingdom for this class of disease, it is

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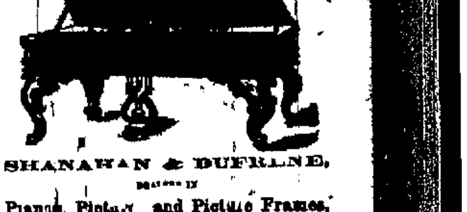
The world-renowned ... together with the extensive and ... of DR. HUFELAND'S SWISS BITTERS will at once ... them to the favorable ... of all ... lovers of a GOOD AND HEALTHFUL TONIC AND INVIGORATOR. As a Purifier of the Blood, acting surely yet gently on the secretions of the Liver and Kidneys, they are unsurpassed, and a most agreeable drink. ...



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JUST RECEIVED AN ASSORTMENT OF ROPE, all sizes from Bale to 6-inch
For sale at San Francisco Price and Freight
R G SNEATH,
Wholesale Grocer,
25 Front Street, opposite O S N Co's Wharf.
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MILLARD & VAN SCHUYVER
SUCCESSORS TO
LADD, REED & CO.,
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Doors, Windows and Blinds.

JUST RECEIVED PER BARK JANE A FALKINBURG a Large Assortment of Doors Windows and Blinds of EASTERN MANUFACTURE and for sale by
ja23dtf ... MILLARD & VAN SCHUYVER

[PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.]

LAWS OF OREGON.

AN ACT to amend an act entitled an act to provide a code of civil procedure, approved October 11, 1862 and to repeal Section 9, of an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to provide a code of civil procedure approved October 11 1862 approved October 20, 1864.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon.

SECTION 1 That section 54 of said act be and the same is hereby repealed, and the following is enacted in place thereof

Sec 54 The summons shall be served by delivering a copy thereof, duly certified by the sheriff, together with a copy of the complaint prepared and certified by the county clerk, as follows

1 If the action be against a private corporation, to the President or other head of the corporation, Secretary, cashier, or managing agent thereof

2 If against any county, incorporated town school district, or other public corporation in this State, to the clerk of such county incorporated town, school district, or other public corporation

3. If against a minor under the age of fourteen years, to such minor personally, and also to his father, mother or guardian, or if there be none within this State, then to any person having the care or control of such minor, or with whom he resides, or in whose service he is employed,

4 If against a person judicially declared to be of unsound mind, or incapable of conducting his own affairs, and for whom a guardian has been appointed, to such guardian and to the defendant personally, or if he be not found, to some white person of the family, above the age of fourteen years, at the dwelling house or usual place of the defendant,

5. The sheriff and county clerk shall receive twenty-five cents a folio for preparing and certifying the summons and complaint as provided in this section, and the same shall be assessed as costs to the losing party.

Sec. 2. Section 107 of said act be and the same is hereby repealed, and the following is enacted in place thereof Section 107 The mode of proceeding to obtain the arrest of the defendant for any of the causes specified in section 106, shall be as provided in this section

1. At any time after the commencement of an action at law, and before judgment, the plaintiff in such action shall be entitled to a writ of arrest for such defendant, whenever he shall make and file with the clerk of the court in which such action is commenced, or is at the time pending, an affidavit that the plaintiff has a sufficient cause of action therein, and that the case is one of those mentioned in section 106, and shall also make and file with such clerk an undertaking, with one or more sureties, in a sum not less than one hundred dollars, and equal to the amount for which plaintiff prays judgment. Such undertaking shall be conditioned that the plaintiff will pay all costs that may be adjudged to the defendant, and all damages which he may sustain by reason of the arrest, if the same be wrongful or without sufficient cause, not exceeding the amount specified in the undertaking.

2. The affidavit may be either positive or upon information and belief, but if the latter, it shall state the nature and sources of such information upon which the belief is founded. The plaintiff shall also file with his undertaking the affidavits of the sureties thereon, from which it must appear that such sureties are residents of the State and that they are, taken together, worth double the amount of the sum specified in the undertaking over all debts and liabilities and property exempt from execution. No person not qualified to become bail upon arrest, is qualified to become surety in an undertaking for an arrest.

3. The writ of arrest shall be issued by the clerk, and shall require the sheriff of any county where the defendant may be found, forthwith to arrest him and to hold him to bail in the amount specified in the undertaking, and that in default thereof, to keep him in custody until discharged by law, and to return the writ to the clerk from whom it issued, with his doings endorsed thereon, when required by the plaintiff at any time before the defendant may be arrested, or afterwards whenever the defendant shall have been discharged from the arrest on bail or otherwise.

4. The plaintiff shall deliver, or cause to be delivered, to the sheriff, with the writ, a copy of the affidavit upon which the writ was issued, subscribed by himself or attorney The sheriff upon the delivery of the writ shall endorse thereon the date of the receipt, and upon the arrest of the defendant, shall deliver to him a copy of the writ, and such copy of the affidavit. The sheriff shall execute the writ, by arresting the defendant and keeping him in custody, until discharged by law.

Sec. 3 That section 128 of said act be and the same is hereby repealed, and the following is enacted in place thereof · Section 128 A defendant arrested may at any time before judgment apply on motion to the court or judge thereof, in which the action is pending, upon notice to the plaintiff to vacate the writ of arrest, except where the cause of arrest and the cause of action are the same.

Sec. 4. That section 129 of said act be and the same is hereby repealed, and the following enacted in place thereof:

Sec. 129. If a motion be made upon affidavits [illegible] proofs on the part of the defendant, but [illegible] the plaintiff may oppose the same [illegible] or other proofs, in addition to those upon which the writ was issued If upon the hearing of such motion, it shall satisfactorily appear that there was not sufficient cause to allow the writ, the same shall be vacated

Sec. 5. Section 198, of such act is hereby repealed and the following is enacted in place thereof:

Sec. 198. In charging the jury, the court shall [illegible] state all matters of law which it thinks necessary for their information in giving their verdict, but it shall not present the facts of the case, but shall inform the jury that they are the exclusive judges of all questions of fact.

Sec. 6. Section 203 of such act is hereby repealed, and following enacted in place thereof

Sec. 203. After the jury have retired for deliberation, if they desire to be informed of any point of law arising in the case, they may require the officer having them in charge to conduct them into court. Upon their being brought into court, the information required shall be given in the presence of, or after notice to the parties or their attorneys.

Sec 7. Section 246 of such act is hereby repealed, and the following enacted in place thereof Sec. 246. Judgment may be had upon failure to answer as follows · 1st When the time for answering the complaint has expired, and it appears that the defendant or one or more of several defendants, in the cases mentioned in Section 59 has been duly served with the summons and has failed to answer the complaint, the plaintiff shall be entitled to have judgment against such defendant or defendants 1st In an action arising upon contract for the recovery of money or damages only, if no answer has been filed with the clerk of the court within the time specified in the summons or such further time as may have been granted by the court or judge thereof, the clerk, upon the application of the plaintiff made in writing, and filed with the clerk, shall enter the default of the defendant, and immediately thereafter enter judgment for the amount specified in the summons, including the costs of the defendant, or against one or more of several defendants, in the cases provided for in section 59

2 In other actions, if no answer has been filed with the clerk of the court within the time specified in the summons, or such further time as may have been granted by the court or judge thereof, the clerk shall, upon the written motion of the plaintiff being filed, enter the default of the defendant, and thereafter the plaintiff may apply at the first or any subsequent term of the court for the relief demanded in the complaint and the court shall upon such demand, give judgment for the amount claimed in the summons, or the relief demanded in the complaint, unless it be necessary to enable the court to give judgment or carry the same into effect, to take proof of any matter or fact, in which case the court may order the entry of judgment to be delayed until such proof be taken The court may hear the proof itself, or make an order of reference, or that a jury be called to enquire thereof.

3. When the defendant has answered and admits the plaintiff's claim but sets up a counter claim amounting to less than the plaintiff's claim, the plaintiff on motion shall have judgment for the excess of his claim over such counter claim as for want of answer thereto

4. When in any action the service of the summons appears to have been made by publication the court may in its discretion order the entry of judgment to be delayed until the plaintiff file with the clerk an undertaking with one or more sureties, to be approved by the clerk in an amount equal to the sum for which judgment may be given upon the condition that the plaintiff will abide by and perform any order of the court requiring restitution to be made to the defendant or his representative, in case either of them shall afterwards be admitted to defend the action The sureties in the undertaking shall have the qualifications of bail and justify before the clerk as provided in section 118

Sec 8 Section 257 of such act is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof

Sec 257 All judgments shall be entered by the clerk in the journal and shall specify clearly the amount to be recovered the relief granted or other determination of the action If entered in vacation the entry shall be entitled and dated substantially as follows.

STATE OF OREGON, }
COUNTY OF —— }

—— Court for the County of ——. In vacation after the —— —— Term, A. D. 186 —— the —— A D 186 , as the fact may be and such entry shall have the same effect as if entered in term time

In the entry of all judgments except judgment by default for want of an answer, the clerk shall be subject to the direction of the court

Sec 9 Section 394 of such act is hereby repealed, and the following enacted in place thereof

Sec 394 The court may change the place of trial on the motion of either party to the suit where it appears from the affidavit of such party either,

1 That the suit has not been commenced in the proper county, or 2 That the judge is a party to, or directly interested in the event of the suit or connected by consanguinity or affinity within the third degree, with the adverse party, or those for whom he prosecutes or defends, and 3 That the motion is not made for the purpose of delay. Such change may be taken at any time before answer and not otherwise, and with like effect as in an action

Sec 10 Section 493 of such act as enacted by an amendment to the same, approved October 20, 1864 is hereby repealed, and the following is enacted in place thereof Section 493 In a suit for the dissolution of the marriage contract the plaintiff therein must be an inhabitant of the State at the commencement of the suit, and for one year prior thereto which residence shall be sufficient to give the court jurisdiction without regard to the place where the marriage was solemnized, or the cause of the suit arose

Sec 11 Section 495 of such act is hereby repealed and the following is enacted in place thereof Section 495 Whenever a marriage shall be declared void or dissolved, the party at whose prayer such decree shall be made shall, in all cases be entitled to the one undivided third part in his or her individual right in fee of the whole of the real estate owned by the other at the time of such decree, in addition to the further decree for maintenance provided for in section 497 of this act, and it shall be the duty of the court in all such cases, to enter a decree in accordance with this provision

Sec 12 That section 883 be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted instead thereof Section 883 In action to recover a penalty or forfeiture given by statute the cause of action, or some part thereof, must have arisen within the county where the action is commenced, or upon a lake, river, or other water bordering upon such county and opposite thereto, but, otherwise than this, the jurisdiction of a Justice's Court does not depend upon where the cause arose, Provided, That the plaintiff or Defendant shall reside in the precinct where the action is commenced, or personal service can be had on the defendant in any precinct in the county, and if the defendant do not reside in the State the action may be commenced in any precinct in the State

Sec 13 Section 1057 of such act is hereby repealed and the following is enacted in place thereof Section 1057 The sureties in such undertaking shall have the qualifications of bail upon arrests and shall justify before any officer in the county authorized to take acknowledgments and administer oaths

Sec. 14 Inasmuch as the law to which this is an amendment is defective in its practical operation, and works a hardship upon parties litigant, therefore this act shall take effect and be in force from and after the first day of February, A D, 1866.

Approved December 20, 1865

ARTEMUS WARD AND BLAZE —In the showman's latest volume, entitled "Artemus Ward—His Travels," we find the following on our obese and jolly friend Blaze

"At Nevada I am called upon shortly after my arrival by an athletic, scarlet-faced man, who politely says his name is Blaze.

'I have a little bill against you, sir,' he observes

'A bill—what for?'

'For drinks'

'Drinks!'

'Yes, sir—at my bar, I keep the well known and highly respected coffee house down street'

'But my dear sir, there is a mistake I never drank at your bar in my life.

'I know it, sir That isn't the point The point is this I pay out money for good liquors, and it is people's own fault if they don't drink them There are the liquors—do as you please about drinking them, but you must pay for them! Isn't that fair?'

His enormous body (which Puck wouldn't put a girdle around for forty dollars) shook gleefully while I read this eminently original bill.

Years ago Mr. Blaze was an agent of the California Stage Company. There was a formidable and well organized opposition to the California Stage Company at that time, and Mr. Blaze rendered them such signal service in his capacity of agent that they were very sorry when he tendered his resignation.

'You are some sixteen hundred dollars behind in your accounts, Mr. Blaze,' said the President, 'but in view of your faithful and efficient services, we shall throw off eight hundred dollars of that amount'

Mr. Blaze seemed touched by this generosity A tear stood in his eye and his bosom throbbed audibly.

'You will throw off eight hundred dollars—you will?' he at last cried, seizing the President's hand and pressing it passionately to his lips

'I will,' returned the President.

'Well, sir,' said Mr Blaze, 'I'm a gentleman, I am, you bet! And I won't allow no Stage Company to surpass me in politeness. I'll throw off the other eight hundred dollars, and we'll call it square! No gratitude, sir—no thanks; it is my duty

Notice.

THE LIVE OAK SALOON
AND RESTAURANT,

On Front Street, (next door to the Pacific Market,)
PORTLAND, OREGON,

IS NOW PREPARED TO ACCOMMODATE BOARDERS at only $4 per week, without lodging.

Meals to be had at all hours early and late, for 37½ cents Private Entrance on the Wharf

A BAR is attached to the Saloon, where the best of all sorts of Liquors, Wines Ale, Porter, Lager Beer, Cigars and Tobacco can be had

dec11dtf J B DROUILLETTE, Proprietor

Notice to all Persons having Demands on the Government

PENSIONS BOUNTY, PRIZE-MONEY, PATENTS, Pay for Vouchers Scrip Back Pay, lost Horse and Spoliation Claims obtained by the undersigned who will attend to all other business before the Departments at Washington City

☞ Soldiers becoming disabled or diseased while in the service are entitled to a Pension Those who served in any war previous to the 30th of March, 1855, are entitled to Bounty Land Those who served in the Navy during the late war and were legally attached to a vessel or squadron on duty, although not participating in the taking of prizes, are entitled to Prize Money In many Indian Treaties provision is made for payment of Spoliation Claims out of Annuities To collect the large number of such claims now owned in this country,—for the settlement of which no similar provision has been made by treaty—demand should be made at once therefor at the proper Department and, if found just, recommendation will be made to Congress to pass an act retaining the amount thereof out of the Annuities

C M CARTER Claim Agent,
Office—No 1 up stairs Carter's Block
dec4dawlm Portland Oregon

SHOOTING GALLERY SALOON.
No. 8 Morrison Street.

THE UNDERSIGNED having purchased and re-fitted this old established Saloon for the accommodation of the public are determined to keep none but the

BEST OF WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS.

All the Improved Arms of the day are in use in the Shooting Gallery A good reading room is also attached for the accommodation of patrons

Call and see me HARRY WEED
Portland, Nov 7, 1865 dtf

BROOMS, BASKETS AND PAILS.
Just Received ex Industry.

100 DOZ BROOMS
100 nests BASKETS,
100 doz PAILS

For sale in lots to suit purchasers by
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SANDWICH ISLAND SUGAR
To Arrive.

3,000 KEGS PER BARK CAMBRIDGE now fully due, will be sold low to the Trade on arrival by
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Boots and Shoes,

UP STAIRS A LARGE STOCK
H W CORBETT

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AND MANDRELS FOR CIRCULAR SAWS;
For sale by H. W. CORBETT.

For Sale.

A HOUSE AND LOT. For particulars apply to WOLFE & HUMBLE
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For Sale.

250 BARRELS COKE. Apply at the Office of the PORTLAND GAS LIGHT CO
Nov 10—dtf

GROUND SALT!

PUT UP IN NEW 100 POUND SACKS AT $30 per ton to the trade, by
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EXPRESS AND FAST FREIGHT LINE.

THIS LINE IS NOW IN COMPLETE RUNNING order from Umatilla to Idaho City via Boise City, and prepared to carry Freight and Valuable Packages between these and all intermediate points with celerity and dispatch

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Which ensures Speed and Safety in the transmission of Freight, never before offered in Idaho. We offer Superior Inducements for Shipping Goods from San Francisco and Portland to Idaho, as our arrangements with the Ocean Steamship Company and the Oregon Steam Navigation are such that all the goods shipped by this Line will not be subject to the usual delays but pass through as

Fast Freight.

Goods shipped from San Francisco in care at Portland Charges will be paid and the goods forwarded to destination

GOODS SHOULD BE MARKED—CARE D. M. D. & CO F. E. LINE and Shipping Receipts sent to our Agents at Portland and Umatilla

ADVANCE CHARGES FOR TRANSPORTATION PAID by the Line and collected at Destination Goods will be forwarded with Dispatch to Owyhee and South Boise

PASSENGERS CARRIED AT GREATLY REDUCED RATES Families will be furnished with Superior Accommodations in New and Easy Riding Thorough Brace Wagons on the most Liberal Terms. We lay over each night on the Road at good and Convenient Stations, so that passengers will not be deprived of regular rest.

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D. M. DURELL & CO., Proprietors
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WILCOX & GIBBS SEWING MACHINE.

We would call attention to the following facts in connection with this Machine, which renders it superior to any other in use

It forms a flat elastic seam which will not rip in wear,

It is entirely noiseless;

A patented device prevents its being turned backward;

The needle cannot be set wrong;

Can be used successfully without other instructions than accompany the Machine;

It received the Gold Medal of the American Institute in 1863. For particulars, enquire of

STEWART & GOURLEY,
Agents for Oregon, 103 Front street,
Portland, Nov 30 1864 nadawly

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FOUNDRY AND MACHINE SHOP!

OAK ST (bet. Front and First) PORTLAND,

PERRY, CRAIN & CO.,
Manufacturers of

STEAM ENGINES, BOILERS, QUARTZ Mill Machinery, Flour and Saw Mill Machinery, Horse Powers, Threshing Machines, REAPERS & MOWERS, Cooking Ranges and Stoves, Iron Doors and Shutters Fencing and Ornamental Work for Buildings, Agricultural Implements Machinery and Iron Work for Ships and Steamers.

All kinds of REPAIRING promptly done

The Proprietors are each Experienced Mechanics, and all work will receive their personal attention and will be done in a workmanlike manner and upon the most reasonable terms de2dtf

GRAND CONCERT!
EVERY NIGHT,
AT THE
BELLA UNION SALOON.

ENTRANCES ON FIRST STREET, AND STARK Street, between the Oro Fino and Merchant's Exchange

THE NEW SALOON, entrance from Stark Street, will be a PRIVATE TWO BIT SALOON, and will be supplied every night, with a Splendid Lunch, the best of Wines, Liquors, Cigars, Oysters and other Delicacies

The OLD SALOON on First street, will be kept on in the old style. The best music, a Pigeon-Hole table, and the most attractive young ladies will always be found in both places

HENRY WAGNER,
Portland, Nov 2, 1865 dtf

C. W. COOL,
DENTIST,

Office—in Carter's Building, (near Post Office),
FRONT STREET, PORTLAND.

THOSE WHO DESIRE FIRST-CLASS WORK done are particularly requested to give him a call

All Operations WARRANTED NOT TO BE EXCELLED by any Operator on the Pacific Coast

All Work will be done at NEW YORK PRICES

I have procured the services of A. G. PHILLIPS, D. D. S., who Graduated at the Dental College in Cincinnati, 1866. se14d1ptf

Union Market,

MANN, HILL & CO., Proprietors.

WILL ALWAYS KEEP ON HAND, the best of MEATS OF ALL VARIETIES, and other articles in their line WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

Union Market,

South-West Corner of Washington and Second Sts., and

A Liberal Share of Patronage is solicited, as we expect to keep as good an assortment and of as good quality as the country affords, and will deliver the same to purchasers in all parts of the city

☞ Kosher Meat constantly on hand.
Portland, March 8th, 1865. dtf

Empire Market.
Corner Washington and First Sts., and
Pacific Market,
No. 8, Couch's Addition.

I WILL KEEP ON HAND all the varieties of FRESH AND CURED MEATS that the market affords, for sale at either of the above Markets, at Wholesale or Retail

Give me a call, one and all, and we will try to make you all satisfied. (ja1d&f) A H JOHNSON

Just Received.

EX A. A. ELDRIDGE, FROM SANDWICH ISLANDS Direct—

2,350 kegs SUGAR;
180 mats
130 bbls. MOLASSES;
150 bales PULU;
16,000 lbs KONA COFFEE.

For sale in lots to suit purchasers,
RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.
Portland, August 28th 1865. dtf

Farm for Sale.

IN CLACKAMAS COUNTY, FOURTEEN MILES from Oregon City and 25 miles from Portland, containing 640 acres, 100 of which are fenced and in a good state of cultivation and a good orchard of twenty acres of the best fruit in the country. The land is half prairie and half timber There is on it a good two story frame house a barn and a distillery for making apple brandy nearly ready to run

For convenience this place cannot be excelled in Oregon, being well situated, handy to mills and schools, and in a good neighborhood

It will be sold at a price very much below its actual value For particulars apply to F HELMS,
au30dtf Front street, opposite the Penitentiary.

JOHN BRUCE'S
SHIP YARD & BOAT-BUILDING SHOP,

Near the North Portland Saw Mill on the Levee

HAVING on hand a quantity of ship building material Oak and Fir Lumber, and Spruce Knees from the West Portland mills Also a quantity of the best quality of Spruce and Cedar Boards for the construction of small Boats and Skiffs, I am prepared to build any kind of sea or river going crafts, at reasonable rates

Boats built to order having [illegible] on hand Repairs [illegible]

Apply at the office of HARBAUGH & STITZEL
North Portland Steam Saw Mill
Portland Dec 8th 1865 dtf

NOTICE
To Contractors and Builders.

THE UNDERSIGNED IS NOW PREPARED TO furnish all kinds of BILL LUMBER [illegible] from the OSWEGO MILLS AT LESS THAN CITY RATES and deliver it in any part of the City

Orders left with M F Mulky on Front street & Main will be promptly filled JOHN C TRULLINGER
de11tf Oswego Mills

Saw-Mill and Land for Sale

THE UNDIVIDED ONE-THIRD OF 320 ACRES OF Land and a Saw Mill Inquire of
de23f DR J L COOMBS.

Wheat.

CASH PAID FOR CLEAN WHITE WHEAT at the Portland Steam Mills
aug27dtf RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.

80 Tons

PURE LIVERPOOL SALT—COARSE AND FINE, by R PITTOCK,
Corner First and Morrison Streets, and No 9, Front Street.

Land in Tins.

FRESH LARD IN TINS For sale by
RICHARDS & McCRAKEN

OREGON BAKERY!
OPITZ & SHARF,
Corner First and Washington Streets,
Wholesale and Retail Manufacturer of
BREAD, CAKES,
Crackers,
AND DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF
FAMILY GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.

Bread and Stores delivered to any part of the City Free of Charge.

Orders from a distance carefully filled and promptly dispatched.

Portland, July 28th, 1865 dtf

THE STANDARD
AMERICAN BILLIARD TABLES!
AND COMBINATION CUSHIONS
MESSRS. PHELAN & COLLENDER

WOULD RESPECTFULLY CALL THE ATTENTION of persons wanting Billiard tables to the great superiority of the above tables, manufactured exclusively at their establishment

At the Billiard Congress of 1863 composed of all the first class players of America, it was unanimously resolved that tables of our manufacture should be used at all matches for the Championship, as the best and only reliable tables

These Billiard Tables have received the unqualified approval of the best players and most competent judges who have universally pronounced them unequaled for general excellence and durability

Seven distinct patents for improvements in Billiard Tables have been granted to us by the United States Patent Office, and we have lately obtained a Patent from the French Government, for our improvement in Billiard Cushions

We employ in the construction of our tables a variety of machinery specially made for the purpose, by means of which we are enabled to insure a scientific and mechanical accuracy hitherto unknown in billiard manufacture

Having a long experience and thorough knowledge of all the appliances of Billiards, and constantly on hand a large stock of the best and most thoroughly seasoned materials, we are prepared to furnish everything required in the Billiard line with unprecedented dispatch

The eminent French Billiard Player, M Berger, has published the following opinion

"New York, 2d August 1861

"On the eve of leaving the United States, I am happy to declare to all amateurs of Billiards that after a tour of eleven months through the principal cities I have been enabled to judge in a satisfactory manner of the superiority of the Billiard Tables manufactured by Phelan & Collender. The system of manufacturing is so superior, that I am happy to introduce their style of cushion into France They have united in their manufacture of American Billiard Tables that of the French Tables, of remarkable excellence and beauty For these reasons, I am happy to make this declaration.

"BERGER, CLAUDIUS,
Prof of Billiards, Paris "

Parties ordering from us will find our prices as low as good work can possibly be made for We sell first-class articles at a fair price, and will not make an inferior article at any price

Orders by mail carefully and promptly executed. Illustrated Catalogues and Price Lists sent by mail The "BILLIARD CUE," a Journal published in the Interest of Billiards, and containing details of all novelties, a copious record of Billiard news and everything of interest to amateurs of Billiards, sent free on application

M E HUGHES,
730 Montgomery St , San Francisco, Cal is our only authorized Agent on the Pacific coast, to whom all orders should be addressed.
dec6-3m PHELAN & COLLENDER

Public Sale of Land,
FOR DEFICIT STREET ASSESSMENTS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of warrants issued by order of the Common Council of the City of Portland and to me directed, commanding me to levy upon and sell according to law each of the pieces and parcels of land hereinafter described, to collect a deficit assessed upon said parcels of land as declared by Ordinance No. 255 for the improvement of Front street between Pine and Morrison streets in said city, and which deficit has not been paid and is now delinquent

Now, in pursuance of said warrants, I have levied upon and on the 4th day of January, A. D. 1866, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the Court House door in the city of Portland, County of Multnomah and State of Oregon, to make the said deficit, costs and expenses of sale, each of the following described parcels of land, situated in the city of Portland, county and State aforesaid, to-wit:—

NO OF BLOCK.	NO OF LOT	OWNER TO WHOM ASSESSED	AMOUNT OF DEFICIT
78	N½ 1	W W Chapman,	22 50
"	S½ 1	" "	21 20
77	N½ 1	C M Carter,	23 70
"	S½ 1	" "	22 30
"	N½ 8	" "	22 30
7	N½ 1	" "	23 90
"	S½ 1	" "	21 80

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock A. M. of the day above named and continue from day to day until all are sold

Payments to be made in United States gold and silver coin.

HENRY L HOYT
Marshal of the City of Portland.
Dated, this 5th day of December, 1865 d4w

Portland Library Association!

ROOMS NO 60 FIRST STREET, (UP-STAIRS.
Next door to Wells, Fargo & Co ,

THE LIBRARY NUMBERS 1,800 VOLUMES OF carefully selected Standard and Miscellaneous Works, forming a very attractive collection

THE READING ROOMS are furnished with Files of all the Leading Newspapers and Periodicals of the day

An initiation fee of $5 and the regular payment of $3 per quarter constitutes a membership.

Persons temporarily in the city may obtain the privileges of the Library and Rooms on liberal terms

Ladies and Gentlemen wishing to become members may apply to the Librarian at the Rooms from 8 o'clock A. M. to 10½ P. M.

WINE, LIQUOR AND SYRUP FACTORY.

THE UNDERSIGNED have received direct from Victoria, the following celebrated Brands of COGNACS, viz

HENNESSE,
MARTEL,
OTARD DUPUY, &c.,

And respectfully invite the public of Portland and the people at large to give them a call at their New Factory, No. 122 First street, where the best of Wines, Liquors and Syrups are offered for sale, wholesale and retail, at the lowest price for CASH.

Portland, Nov. 16, d3ptf L. VIAL & PERRY.

To Surveyors.

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the City Council of Oregon City, proposals will be received by the undersigned up to the 1st day of January, 1866, for a full and complete survey of Oregon City, each Lot and Block therein to be accurately surveyed and the beginning corner of each block designated by a stone monument properly numbered &c. Full particulars in regard to this contract can be obtained on application to either of the undersigned at Oregon City: proposals to be addressed to Charman & Bro Oregon City, endorsed "proposals for the Survey of Oregon City"

W. W. BUCK,
THOS CHARMAN,
WM BARLOW
d9js Special Committee of said City Council

Dissolution Notice.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing in the RISING SUN SALOON between Lenaghan & Wise is this day dissolved by mutual consent All amounts due the firm must be paid to Jas Lenaghan, who will settle all just claims against the late firm on demand

Portland, Dec 2, 1865 JAS LENAGHAN,
dec4dtf JOSEPH WISE

For Sale.

THE NORTH HALF of block 250 in the city of Portland Apply to A HAMILTON
Ninth Street, between Washington & Alder
Portland, November 27 1865 1m

Removed.

NICHOLAS LUMSDEN, the Premium Boot Maker, has removed his manufacturing establishment from Alder to Front street, opposite the
Portland, Nov 8, dtf FRANKLIN BOOK STORE

Lyon's California Ale.

THE UNDERSIGNED, AGENTS FOR THE SALE OF this justly celebrated brand of ALE will sell it at San Francisco cost and freight added Will also buy the the empty barrels and half-barrels
RICHARDS & McCRAKEN

For Sale.

A DESIRABLE RESIDENCE. Apply to PARRISH & HOLMAN'S
REAL ESTATE OFFICE,
dec15dtf No 80 Front Street

BRAN & SHORTS
FOR SALE.

AS MADE at Savier & Co's Imperial Mill being Bran and Shorts run together which will be delivered on the boats at Oregon City for $20 per ton. Sacks must always accompany orders
au22 dtf WM BARLOW

Lots for Sale.

PLEASANTLY LOCATED FOR DWELLINGS Title Perfect Terms Liberal Apply to
DR R. GLISAN,
oct18d2ptf No 96 Front street

HARDWARE,
Direct from England,

AND THE BEST MANUFACTURERS OF THE Eastern States For sale by
H. W CORBETT.

BUTTER! BUTTER!

AN EXTRA CHOICE LOT OF OREGON BUTTER sacked and in brine

Also a superior lot of NEW ISTHMUS BUTTER, for sale by RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.

DRAKE'S
PLANTATION BITTERS.
S. T.—1860—X.

The rapidity with which

DRAKE'S PLANTATION BITTERS

have become a HOUSEHOLD NECESSITY throughout Civilized Nations, is without a parallel in the History of the World.

OVER

TWO MILLION, ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND BOTTLES

Were Sold in Twelve Months,

AND

The Demand is Daily Increasing!

RICH AND POOR—YOUNG AND OLD,

Ladies, Physicians and Clergymen

FIND THAT IT

Revives Drooping Spirits,

LENDS STRENGTH TO THE SYSTEM

Vigor to the Mind, and is

EXHAUSTED NATURE'S GREAT RESTORER!

Its effect in cases of

DYSPEPSIA,

Loss of Appetite, Weakness, Excessive Fatigue, Sour Stomach, Mental Despondency, &c.,

IS MOST EXTRAORDINARY.

It is composed of the choicest Roots and Herbs, the Celebrated CALISAYA BARK etc , all preserved in pure ST CROIX RUM As a gentle Appetizer and Healthy Agreeable Stimulant it has no equal

It is sold by all respectable dealers in every Town, Parish, Village and Hamlet throughout North and South America Europe and the Islands of the Ocean

☞ None can be genuine unless bearing the private United States Stamp over the cork, with Signature on Steel Plate Label of P H DRAKE & CO.

SMITH & DAVIS,
71 Front St., Portland,
SOLE AGENTS FOR OREGON,
and the Territories
March 1st, 1865 dawtf

ALLEN'S
LUNG BALSAM!
The Remedy for Curing
CONSUMPTION, COUGHS, COLDS,
Asthma, Croup,

Diseases of the Throat, Bronchitis, Pains and Oppression of the Chest and Lungs, Difficult Breathing and all the Diseases of the Pulmonary Organs.

ITS ACTION IS EXPECTORANT, ALTERATIVE, SUDORIFIC, SEDATIVE, DIAPHORETIC AND DIURETIC, which renders it one of the most valuable remedies known for curing diseases of the lungs It excites expectoration, and causes the lungs to throw off the phlegm or mucus; CHANGES THE SECRETIONS AND PURIFIES THE BLOOD; heals the irritated parts; gives strength to the digestive organs; brings the liver to its proper action, and imparts strength to the whole system. Such is the immediate and satisfactory effect, that it is WARRANTED TO BREAK UP THE MOST DISTRESSING COUGH IN A FEW HOURS' TIME, if not of too long standing IT IS WARRANTED to give entire satisfaction even in the MOST CONFIRMED CASES OF CONSUMPTION! IT IS WARRANTED NOT to produce costiveness (which is the case with most remedies) or affect the head, as it contains no Opium in any form. IT IS WARRANTED TO BE PERFECTLY HARMLESS to the most delicate child, although it is an active and powerful remedy for restoring the system. THERE IS NO REAL NECESSITY FOR SO MANY DEATHS BY CONSUMPTION, when ALLEN'S LUNG BALSAM will prevent it if only taken in time.

Sold by all Druggists Price $1 per bottle.

SMITH & DAVIS,
PORTLAND, OREGON,
Oct. 24, 1864—dawtf General Agents for the State.

DR. LA'MERT

BEGS TO INFORM HIS PATIENTS AND THE Public that he has removed his Office to San Francisco. All letters will please be addressed to Wells, Fargo & Co , San Francisco. Due notice of residence will be given

CONFIDENTIAL MEDICAL ADVICE.
DR. LA'MERT,

Member of the Royal College of Surgeons of England; Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh; M. D. of the University of Erlangen; Licentiate of Royal Society of Apothecaries, London, &c.

CURES SECRET DISEASES WITHOUT COPAIBA OR MERCURY He also treats successfully STRICTURES, GLEET, SEMINAL WEAKNESS, CUTANEOUS DISEASES, and those who suffer from NERVOUS DEBILITY, or the LOST POWERS OF MANHOOD will do well to consult him. His DIPLOMAS may be seen at his House and Offices

Letters for advice must contain the fee of $5 00 with a full statement of the case, stating symptoms, habits, way of life, occupation and any other information calculated to guide him in forming a correct judgment of the case.

☞ Letters to be addressed to the Office of Wells, Fargo & Co , San Francisco decddtf

SMITH & BRO.'S
MACHINE AND BRASS-FINISHING SHOP!
Corner of Second and Alder streets.

WE ARE NOW READY TO MAKE AND REPAIR all kinds of Small Machinery, and Models for the Patent Office

We make all kinds of KEYS; HANG BELLS; REPAIR STOVES &c, &c,

MACHINISTS' SQUARES, CALIPERS, and other tools made handsomely finished. Also tools for other trades

BURGLAR-PROOF LOCKS and DOORS; FIRE-PROOF SAFES (small sizes), and IRON RAILINGS for Houses and Cemeteries made to order

☞ Particular attention paid to REPAIRING REAPERS, MOWERS, and THRESHING MACHINES

Work done in the most approved style and at Moderate Prices Orders respectfully solicited

F. O. & C. B. SMITH.
Portland February 1st 1865. dtf

RUBBER CLOTHING CO.,

WOULD INFORM THE TRADE THAT THEY have opened a branch of their business at

642 Sacramento Street,
SAN FRANCISCO,

Where they will have a full supply of all kinds of

RUBBER GOODS
At Wholesale.

CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES,
COMBS, BALLS TOYS
STATIONERS and DRUGGISTS' ARTICLES,
AIR GOODS, LIFE VESTS, GLOVES,
DOOR and PITCHER MATS,
PIANO COVERS, PAILS,
HORSE COVERS,
CURRY COMBS,
LEATHER BOOTS & SHOES with RUBBER SOLES &c,
RUBBER JEWELRY AND FANCY GOODS.

JOSEPH FRASER, Agent,
San Francisco.
347 Broadway, New York,
82 Lake street, Chicago. au1dawlm

MADAME VE CONTE,
FORTUNE-TELLER

HAVING JUST RECEIVED DIRECT FROM FRANCE the Genuine Cards and Signs of the celebrated Madame Sparta, which told so perfectly the fate and fortune of the great Napoleon the First and cleverly relates the past clearly explains the present and reliably predicts the future

Do you want to be successful in love or law, then consult Madame Ve Conte, No 27 Washington street, between First and Second Consultation fee, $1 [illegible]

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE COPARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between E SHARFF and S ISAAC under the name of SHARFF & ISAAC is this day dissolved by mutual consent E SHARFF assumes all liabilities and collects all dues of the late firm

E SHARFF,
Portland, Oregon, Nov 25 1865 S ISAAC
Witness E T Conger, dlm

Oysters! Oysters!
FIRST OF THE SEASON!
FISHER & KAISER

Have just received a FRESH LOT OF OYSTERS and will serve them up in every style at their CONFECTIONERY,
se21dtf 105 FIRST STREET

People's Transportation Co Notice.

FROM AND AFTER THE 15TH INST , all FREIGHT shipped on the P T Co.'s Boats will be received and delivered on the Company's Dock at Oregon City

A A McCULLY
Salem, Dec. 7, 1865 President P T Company
dec9d1m

"CONSTITUTION WATER,"
THE ONLY REMEDY FOR DISEASES OF THE
BLADDER, KIDNEYS,
Gravel, Dropsical Swellings,
GENITAL DEBILITY, ETC.

THE ASTONISHING SUCCESS WHICH HAS AT tended this invaluable medicine renders it the most valuable one ever discovered No language can convey an adequate idea of the immediate and almost miraculous change which it occasions in the debilitated and shattered system In fact, it stands unrivalled as a remedy for the permanent cure of the maladies above-mentioned, and also—

DIABETES, IMPOTENCY,
LOSS OF MUSCULAR ENERGY,
PHYSICAL PROSTRATION,
INDIGESTION,
SEMINAL WEAKNESS,
GLEET, FLUOR ALBUS.

And in every disease any way connected with the disorder or decay of the PROCREATIVE FUNCTIONS Persons about to marry, if conscious of any weakness, should take the

CONSTITUTION WATER,

Whether broken down by excess, weak by nature, or impaired by sickness, the unstrung and relaxed organization is at once rebraced, revivified and built up. Well may this celebrated medicine be called the

MEDICAL WONDER.

The stooping, trembling victim of depression and debility becomes a new man; he stands erect, he moves with a firm step; his mind, which was previously sunk in gloom of an almost idiotic apathy, becomes bright and active; and he goes forth regenerated, conscious of new vigor —The medicine reaches the CONSTITUTION itself, and restores it to its normal condition.

IRRITATION OF THE NECK OF THE BLADDER,
INFLAMMATION OF THE KIDNEYS, AND
CATARRH OF THE BLADDER,
STRANGUARY AND BURNING, OR PAINFUL
URINATING,
CALCULUS, GRAVEL,
BRICK DUST DEPOSIT, AND MUCOUS
OR MILKY DISCHARGES AFTER URINATING.

For these diseases it is truly a sovereign remedy, and too much cannot be said in its praise. A single dose has been known to relieve the most urgent symptoms. TRY IT in these cases, and you will ever give praise to

CONSTITUTION WATER.

Males or Females,

Are you troubled with that distressing pain in the small of the back, and through your hips? CONSTITUTION WATER will relieve you like magic.

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W. WEATHERFORD,
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LIFE SYRUP,
COMPOSED OF
IODIDE POTASSIUM,

With the Compound Concentrated Fluid Extract of Lungwort Angustura Root, [illegible] Root, Blood Root, Cancer Root, Fever Root, Cruhar Weed, C[illegible] Plant, Gravel Plant, Life Root, Liverwort, Nervine Root, Pleurisy Root, Seneca Root, Button Grass Root, Scrofula Plant, Rattlesnake Root, Squaw Root, Wa hoo Bark, Wintergreen, the whole scientifically [illegible] and containing the full virtue of all the [illegible] in an elegant Syrup, that [illegible] a wonderful power in the cure of diseases.

CONSTITUTION LIFE SYRUP.

A positive and specific remedy for all diseases originating from an IMPURE STATE OF THE BLOOD, and for all (hereditary) DISEASES transmitted from PARENT TO CHILD

Paralysis.

(Hemiplegia, Paralysis, Paraplegia, Paralysis, Agitans.

Dyspepsia,

Indigestion, Liver Complaint, Constipation, Weight at Stomach, Biliousness, Want of Appetite, [illegible], Bad Breath.

Scrofula,

Struma, Glandular, Swellings, Ulceration, King's Evil, Erysipelas, Salt Rheum.

Rheumatism.

(Arthritis) [illegible], Gout, [illegible], Sciatic, Tic Doloureux.

Nervous,

Nervous Debility, Confusion of Thoughts, Epilepsy, Loss of Power, Shattered Nerves, St. Vitus' Dance.

Mercurial Diseases

Salivation, Feeling of Weariness, Rotting of Bones, Bad Complexion, [illegible] Depressed Spirits.

Constitution Life Syrup [illegible] the system entirely of all the evil effects of Mercury, removing the Bad Breath, and curing the Weak Joints and Rheumatic Pains which the use of Calomel is sure to produce. It [illegible] Gums and secures the teeth as firmly as ever.

Constitution Life Syrup

Eradicates, root and branch, all Eruptive Diseases of the Skin, like

Ulcers, Pimples, [illegible],

And all other difficulties of the kind, which so much disfigure the outward appearance of both males and females, and often making them a [illegible] to themselves and their friends.

Constitution Life Syrup

CURES ALL SWELLING OF THE GLANDS, either of the Face, Neck, or [illegible]

☞ As a general Blood-Purifying Agent, the Life Syrup stands unrivalled by any preparation in the world.

Constitution Life Syrup

Is the Poor Man's friend and the Rich Man's blessing. Buy it, take it, and be cured. It is universal in its effects.

W [illegible] M. D.,
Sole Proprietor, New York.

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PRICE—$1 per Bottle; Six Bottles for $5.
☞ Sent by Express to all parts of the country.

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CAST IRON PILASTERS, (of the latest style),
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And all kinds of IRON WORK required in HOUSE AND BRIDGE BUILDING.

☞ Constantly on hand a large assortment of Second Hand FIRE-PROOF DOORS AND SHUTTERS,

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AGENTS FOR OREGON—
RICHARDS & McCRAKEN,
sep21d3m4p Portland.

THE EYES! THE EYES!!

DR. H. BIGELOW,
OCCULIST and AURIST,
(lately associated with Dr Pardee at San Francisco,) has opened an office at No. 86 Front street, corner of Washington, opposite the Pioneer Hotel, for the treatment and cure of all the various diseases of the Eye and Ear

All operations on the Eye performed in the most skillful and scientific manner

ARTIFICIAL EYES inserted without pain, having the appearance and movements of the real Eye

Portland, November 4, 1867. dt

MEDICAL.
THE GREATEST DISCOVERY OF THE AGE!
HENLEY'S MAGIC PILLS

ARE WARRANTED A PERMANENT CURE in the following Diseases: FEVER & AGUE, BILIOUS and INTERMITTENT FEVERS or any Febrile Disease, however severe

P S —One Box is Warranted to Cure any case of Fever and Ague or money refunded

For sale one door north of the Court House by the Proprietor,
se26dtf DR WM HENLEY

SHIP CHANDLERY FOR SALE.

PURCHASE BLOCKS, &c ,
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